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RAPID PROGRESS BY CONGRESS IN FIRST 15 DAYS

Members Adjourn Until Jan. 4 for Twelve-day Holiday Recess

MORATORIUM HAS O. K.

Democrats Refrain from Decision on Own Program for Tax Increase

Washington —(AP)— Fifteen days the new congress has labored and the leaders are well pleased with the progress their forces have made.

Today the members began a 12-day vacation, a lull preceding the really serious grind on important legislation which will occupy them until next June. They have successfully negotiated the first hurdle, that intergovernment moratorium whose opposition was mostly vocal. furt-They face now the long road of situat-estic economy's legislation, stak-tional learly with a list of markers ed in ta by President Hoover. Many Young pla-gislators have displayed a report, whi-ngness to speed the pro-and a furi soon many in fact are foregoing work on subome to stay here and portion of man against the reas-Some of the sub s on Jan. 4. iliar with as many Aved struggle routes, thus making it pro tem-them to work parts of uses have one route and give assanization more than one carrier. n which regular carrier completes use conround he hastens back to g inter-office and routes his secon mittees mail, on which he again clicking by the sub.

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Prohibition, farm relief, Muscle Shoals, veterans' cash and pension demands, cash outlays for unemployed, and all the other everlasting sources of struggle and friction, are just around the corner.

The full-length Christmas vacation was not approved without difficulty. The president wanted it cut short to speed the reconstruction corporation bill. Senator Reed and Senator Borah, Republicans, insisted upon getting back to work Dec. 28, and "young guard" Republicans, western independents and a few Democrats joined in. But the leaders held out, knowing, of the old that members cannot be rushed back from distant homes in sufficient numbers to do business. The decision on adjournment did not come

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Charge Bureau Squanders Indian Funds

PLEADS VAINLY FOR RIGHT TO REENTER STATE REFORMATORY

Green Bay —(AP)— Driven to desperation by unemployment, a Milwaukee youth "bummed" his way here in order to plead for readmittance to the Wisconsin State reformatory, from which he had been released in October, Supt. Earl H. Eklund disclosed today.

About 21 years of age, hungry and ragged, the youth appeared before Supt. Eklund to ask if "there wasn't some way" the reformatory head could help him.

He was told there was nothing in the law which would permit him to be kept at the institution. He was given a good meal, fitted out with a warm mackinaw coat, and given some "change" for a start in Milwaukee, to which city he was advised to return.

Ohio Grand Jury Acts In Girl Murder

Cincinnati, Ohio —(AP) — William Hornsby who disappeared today from his home near where the mutilated body of six year old Marian McLean was found yesterday, returned today.

Earlier in the day police had been asked by his father to aid in his search. The boy was found by a policeman near the home of a friend of the family.

Meanwhile police intensified their search for the slayer of the McLean child, but late today had unearthed no promising clews.

The Hamilton-co grand jury today returned a first degree murder indictment against unnamed slayer of Marian McLean.

The indictment was returned solely to speed bringing the girl's slayer to his fate, should he be found. It charged murder in commission of criminal attack, and murder alone, both offenses bearing death or life imprisonment as penalties.

Meanwhile police questioned three men.

One of them was Charles Bischoff, 45, pudgy shoemaker who found the girl's body in his cellar. Another was James Devenney, 40, his brother-in-law, who lives at the address from which the Hornsby boy disappeared. A third was Dennis Delaney, 44, accused heretofore of molesting young girls.

Prosecutor R. N. Gorman said the grand jury returned the "John Doe" indictment for two reasons, first, in event Marian's slayer were apprehended in another state it would pave the way for easy extradition, and, secondly, in case the kidnaper were caught here he could be arraigned directly in common pleas court, saving the time required in a preliminary police court hearing.

SENATE GROUP MAKES REPORT ON FINDINGS

Federal Office Cited as Example of "Bureaucracy Gone Mad"

Washington —(AP)— The Indian office was cited in a senate committee report yesterday as an example of "bureaucracy gone mad."

Squandering of funds belonging to the Indians was one of the complaints lodged against the office in the report, laid before the senate by Chairman Frazier of an Indian affairs sub-committee.

The report charged the bureau was wasting money belonging to its wards for its own maintenance and said the result was rapid impoverishment of Indian tribes.

The committee said Indians having to depend largely upon government aid were in a much better condition, comparatively speaking, than tribes with funds of their own.

The report said New Mexico Pueblo Indians were supported largely by the government, the total expenditure per capita in 1930 being $38.40 with the Indians contributing only 70 cents of the amount.

Point Out "Contrast"

Commenting that they were getting an intensive and efficient service, the report said there was a "striking contrast" where the Indians on the Mescalero reservation were concerned.

The per capita expenditure was given as $306 in 1930 with a tribal fund expenditure of $163 included and $163 of the total going to the agency.

Charges of maladministration were that the income from the tribal herd was being absorbed by the Indian agency and that the timber belonging to the Indians was being squandered "on a lot of high priced employees."

The report concluded:

"The present policy if it continues means the complete destruction of many of the tribal funds at a very early date. It is a situation which as a whole calls for the immediate attention of congress."

Frazier and Senators LaFollette, Wheeler and Thomas of Oklahoma signed the report.

Slain Banker Is Believed To Be Suicide

Police Think He First Attacked Retired Business Man in Office

Chicago—(AP)—John Jacob Visser, 35, vice president and trust officer of the Kimbell Trust and Savings bank, was found slain late yesterday in his office on the third floor of the bank building.

The police, reconstructing the circumstances of his death from stories of bank employes and others, said they believed the bank official shot and killed himself after an unsuccessful attempt to kill Antonius Van Worden, 67, a retired business man who had placed his property in trust and named Visser as his heir.

The police theory was that Van Worden escaped after Visser had beaten him with a piece of gas pipe and shot him in the mouth. Shortly after he staggered out of the private office, police said, another shot was heard. When bank employes rushed into the office they found Visser dead, lying face upward, with a pistol nearby his outstretched hand. On the floor was a gas pipe, wrapped in a green bordered towel.

It was first believed that Van Worden had attacked Visser with the pipe and that the banker died of wounds inflicted during a terrific struggle in which he shot Van Worden in self-defense. It was not until after the body had been taken to the mortician's that police found a bullet, and not a beating, had caused his death.

Van Worden was in a serious condition last night. But despite his wounds, he made a statement to the police in which he declared that Visser first attacked him with a steel pipe. Failing to inflict serious injuries with this, Van Worden said, the banker rushed to the desk, pulled out the pistol and fired at him.

Van Worden said he had gone to the banker's office to discuss changes in a trust deed covering $35,000 of his property. Under its terms, he said, he was to receive $125 a month from Visser, but at his death the estate was to become Visser's property.

Police were holding Van Worden pending completion of their investigation.

PLANE FALLS; 2 KILLED

Montgomery, Ala. —(AP)— J. C. Hughes, agent for the Mobile and Ohio railroad at Billingsley, Ala., reported by telephone today that an airplane crashed about eight miles from Billingsley shortly before noon, killing two men.

KILLED BY BLAST

Waukesha—(AP)—Reed A. Pratt, 45, farmer living near here, was killed today by a premature explosion while he was blasting stumps.

PARENTS SENTENCED FOR CRUELTY TO GIRL

Maximum Term of 2 Years and Fine of $250 for Mr. and Mrs. Riley

Washington—(AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Riley were sentenced to two years imprisonment and fined $250 today for cruelty to their 12-year-old child, Edith.

Justice F. D. Letts imposed the maximum penalty after describing the evidence in the case as "revolting to the common sense of justice."

The Rileys were convicted Thursday of treating their child cruelly over a period of years. It was testified that they kept her confined in a dark closet for four years and otherwise mistreated her. The two waived a trial by jury.

Justice Letts said Mrs. Riley, stepmother of Edith, was the "dominating factor in the home."

"There is no evidence, however," he added, "of any effort on the part of Mr. Riley to protect his child from the indignities imposed upon her."

LA FOLLETTE IN PLEA FOR HUGE U. S. BOND ISSUE

Senator Urges Loan of $5,500,000,000 for Public Building Program

Washington — (AP)—A plea for a $5,500,000,000 issue of "prosperity bonds" for immediate expansion of federal, state and local building was made today by Senator LaFollette who introduced such a bill last night.

The Wisconsin Republican in a statement today assailed the public works report of President Hoover's unemployment relief organization and said it left the case for an adequate public works program unweakened.

Public works expansion by his bill, LaFollette said, "embodies the only emergency program which can be adopted without a long political controversy."

He termed immediate consideration of congress urgent.

"The measures proposed by the administration are merely attempts to keep us from slipping deeper into the depression and offer no hope of raising commodity and security prices, which must be achieved if we are to bring about quick recovery," he said.

"The best estimates indicate that expenditure of $5,500,000,000 for construction would give jobs to 1,500,000 of the unemployed directly."

Assails "Inaction"

He said the unemployment relief organization committee in its objection "to such a program exaggerated the claims of proponents of the public works program, misrepresented the economic possibilities and counselled the nation to resign itself to a policy of inaction and despair.

"The president's committee seemingly views with complacency a policy of continued wage cuts and of a reduction of standards of living to world levels," he said.

He added that the president's committee seemed "concerned less with dispassionate examination of the possibilities of business recovery in a program of public works, than with the problem of plausibly defending the administration's refusal to do anything except hospitalize the economic casualties of the depression.

"The committee apparently is more anxious to protect the income taxpayer than to prevent catastrophic continuance of the depression," he said.

Urges Added Surtax

The measure called for an additional surtax of 2 per cent on all incomes over $5,000 the proceeds to be used exclusively in redeeming the bonds.

Provision was made for loans to corporations created for the sole purpose of sponsoring housing projects to accommodate families of low incomes.

Of the total sum appropriated, $3,750,000,000 would be loaned to states and subdivisions for highways, bridges, waterworks, flying fields, parks, playgrounds, public buildings, grade crossing elimination, reforestration and fire prevention.

The program also called for $200,000,000 for additional federal river and harbor and flood control work. For federal highways $500,000,000 would be expended with another $350,000,000 for grade crossing elimination and $275,000,000 for federal buildings.

FINE WINTER FOR FROGS

Superior — (AP) — Because of the winter's mildness, frogs are still hopping about in a pond near here, Willis Pearson reports.

Urges U. S. Loan

SENATOR LAFOLLETTE

15,000 Rare Books Buried In Collapse

Many Priceless Volumes Lost in Vatican Tragedy Cannot Be Replaced

Vatican City—(AP)—Fifteen thousand volumes of the Vatican library collection, many of which cannot be replaced, were buried under the mass of wreckage left by the collapse of the roof over a 200-foot wing yesterday.

Late today the body of a fourth victim of the accident was recovered by workmen tunneling through the debris. He was one of several workmen who had been engaged on a job on the ground floor of the ancient building when the roof fell in and was crushed under a pile of stone and timbers.

Marco Vatasso, young Italian attorney, was lifted from the ruins late last night, and early this morning the bodies of two workmen were discovered.

The young attorney was still alive when his body was found, but he died on the way to the hospital. He had lived six hours buried under the debris.

Eleven hours of tunneling into a mass of masonry 50 feet high were required to reach the bodies of the two workmen. Both appeared to have been killed instantly when the room and two floors collapsed.

Signor Vattasso was studying on the top floor when the collapse occurred. Four years ago his cousin died suddenly in the same room.

NEW FUND BILL FOR 10 MILLION UP IN SENATE

Upper House to Act Tuesday on Compromise Offered by Polakowski

Madison—(AP)—The senate will act next Tuesday on a compromise unemployment relief bill for $10,000,000 introduced by Senator Walter Polakowski, Milwaukee Socialist.

The measure levies $9,000,000 in surtaxes on 1931 incomes of individuals and corporations and appropriates the $1,000,000 balance of the necessary money for relief financing from the state's general fund.

Senator Polakowski presented the bill today shortly before the two houses of the legislature adjourned for the Christmas holidays. He offered it as a compromise to break the deadlock that was established when the senate defeated Governor LaFollette's $17,000,000 relief bill and the assembly killed the Nelson substitute for $6,000,000.

The senate will reconvene Monday night and will take up the Polakowski proposal as a special order of business Tuesday morning. The assembly has agreed by resolution to return Monday night but there was a general understanding among the members that they would not return before Jan. 4 unless the senate adopts a relief plan.

In order to revive the Polakowski bill the upper house took the La Follette-Nixon $17,000,000 bill off the table where it was placed late yesterday by a vote of 16 to 15. This is the measure which the assembly has passed and a duplicate of which the senate has killed.

The compromise move by Polakowski, who at one time proposed a $40,000,000 measure indicates that Governor LaFollette's relief plan cannot get through the senate. Polakowski supported the governor when he saw his original proposal was hopelessly lost.

Provides Tax Boosts

"Similar to the administration bill, the Polakowski substitute levies a 1 per cent surtax on the incomes of corporations and surtaxes on individual incomes ranging from 1½ to 20 per cent, both for the year 1931 only.

But there is a revamping of the individual surtax so as to place virtually all the tax on the higher incomes and to raise in all about $10,000,000 whereas the governor's plan would have raised $13,000,000 from this source.

The substitute eliminates the chain store and gift taxes proposed in the administration measure and makes

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ASSEMBLY ALSO PUTS APPROVAL ON 8-HOUR DAY

Subsidy Provision Intended to Assure Farmer Cost of Production

BILL SENT TO SENATE

Provides Payment by State Where Sales Price Is Less Than Cost

Madison—(AP)—In a hectic session the state assembly last night passed a bill for an eight-hour working day with a provision for a state subsidy for farmers. The vote was 73 to 9. The measure then went to the senate.

No one on the floor would hazard a guess as to the cost of the subsidy but estimates ran from two to many millions of dollars.

The assembly started out on a bill introduced by Assemblyman Robert Nixon, Washburn, which would have inaugurated an eight-hour working day for the period of the depression. Twenty-one amendments to it were submitted, most of them seeking to exempt certain types of industry.

Finally the assemblymen reached a substitute amendment sumbitted by Assemblyman John Franck, Antigo; Frank Panzer, Oakfield; Ray Lawton, Viola, and L. S. Shauger, Ozema. This substitute carried the provision for the subsidy and was finally passed in preference to the Nixon bill.

The substitute makes an eight hour working day mandatory upon all employes in Wisconsin beginning Jan. 1, 1932, and ending not later than Dec. 31, 1933. The substitute's radical departure from the main Nixon bill is contained in the section entitled "emergency determination of farm prices."

State Aid for Farmers

Under this section, all farmers in the state would be entitled to receive a price for farm products they sell at least equal to the cost of production based upon an eight-hour day with time and one-half for overtime. The state department of agriculture and markets would be directed to determine the cost of production of farm products, with the cost of labor computed at 30 cents and hour and 45 cents for each hour over eight in a day.

Any farmer receiving less than the cost of production would be reimbursed for the difference by the state. The bill provides that the subsidy shall end "when prices of the principal farm products at least equal the cost of production, but not later than Dec. 31, 1933."

A "sum sufficient" to pay the farmers the difference between the prices of products and the cost of production, based on an eight-hour day, is to be provided by the bill.

"You think this substitute is a joke; it is no joke to us farmers," said Franck. "I believe farmers are entitled to an eight-hour working day with a minimum wage of 30 cents with time and a half for overtime."

Shauger challenged the Milwaukee Socialist assemblyman to accept the "farmers proposal" for an eight hour day rather than one which will benefit only those employes engaged in industry. The challenge was accepted.

Assemblyman G. Erle Ingram, Eau Claire, contended that "special privilege" has been granted the corporate interests of the state and nation and said it was time the farmers were given a subsidy.

No Special Provision

As the bill now stands there is no provision for financing a subsidy.

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FOUR ROBBERS SOUGHT AFTER TWO HOLDUPS

Kenosha—(AP)—The sheriff's department today was seeking four robbers suspected of staging two holdups last night in which about $508 was taken.

Four men, two with guns, held up John Braun, proprietor of a soft drink parlor in the village of Somers, Kenosha-co, and took about $500. They cut telephone wires leading to his place.

Four men, described as those who robbed Braun, took $8 from Ole Knudson, operator of a filling station on Highway 35 near Waterford, in Racine-co.

CONFESSES AUTO THEFT

Rhinelander—(AP)—Ed Sherrick of St. Paul, arrested here, was turned over to Sheriff Hjalmar Frostman of Bayfield-co, after confessing he had stolen an automobile at Washburn, Wis.

TRIES TO FIND GUN WHICH KILLED LUTZY

Prosecutor Advertises for Information in Shooting of Recluse

Monroe—(AP)—Continuing the investigation into the slaying of Fred Lutzy, Monticello recluse, District Attorney Randal Elmer today advertised for persons knowing the whereabouts of a pistol or gun of .35 caliber or larger.

The district attorney disclosed today he possessed a .35 caliber bullet found sometime ago in the shack where Lutzy was slain. He believes it is the one which killed the recluse.

Elmer also said he had a list of ten suspects, furnished in an anonymous telephone call from Monticello.

A hearing was in progress today on the petition of two nieces to break the will of Lutzy. The plaintiffs are Mrs. Richard Amelong and Mrs. Herman Disch, both of Monticello, who are daughters of the late Mrs. Sarah Blub, Lutzy's half-sister.

Lutzy's will, made in December, left $5 to this half-sister and stipulated four sisters should share equally in the estate. The estate, as yet not inventoried, is believed to total more than $20,000.

RAIL LABOR GROUP TO MEET IN CLEVELAND

Cleveland—(AP)—Chiefs of the 21 railroad labor organizations will meet here Dec. 29 to fix the date and to formulate their policy for the wage negotiation conference to be held with railroad owners, in Chicago.

The Cleveland meeting was announced today by D. B. Robertson, president of the Railroad Labor Executive association.

The subject of the Chicago conference will be the recent request of the railroad owners for a 15 per cent reduction in wages of their employes.

BULLETIN

Madison—(AP)—The Shearer bill extending the tax payment time for unemployed persons from March to June was passed by the state senate today by a vote of 21 to 4 and sent to the assembly. The bill was sponsored by Senator Conrad Shearer, Kenosha. The vote was taken after Lieut. Gov. Henry Huber ruled out an amendment which extended the tax extension privilege to farmers. He held that this provision was not within the governor's call on unemployment relief.

THIRTY INJURED BY FALLING RAILROAD TIES

New York—(AP)— Thirty people were injured today when piles of railroad ties became loose on a speeding flat car and were flung among a crowd of passengers awaiting a subway train in Flatbush, Brooklyn.

Thirteen of the injured were taken to hospitals, while the others received first aid treatment. The accident caused near panic. Frightened women screamed and ran to safety.

The flat car was running on the Brighton Beach line of the Brooklyn Manhattan Transit company toward Manhattan. As it sped through the Newkirk Avenue station, one of the supports holding the ties in place gave way.

The ties shot away from the car into the station, bringing havoc to the crowd.

RECOGNITION DENIED TO SALVADOR REGIME

Government Not Organized Constitutionally, Washington Decides

Washington —(AP)— The American government refused to recognize the revolutionary regime of President Martinez in Salvador.

The state department today instructed the legation at San Salvador to advise the regime it could not be recognized under the terms of the Central American treaty of 1923 which established rules for recognition in Central America.

The reasons given were that the regime had come to power through a revolution and had not been constitutionally organized.

It was added that even if the government had been constitutionally reorganized, President Martinez could not be recognized under a clause barring from the presidency persons who had held office in the previous government.

Guatemala, Honduras and Costa Rica have withheld recognition for the same reason.

WOULD ADD 25 MILLION TO LAND BANK BILL

Washington —(AP)—An addition of $25,000,000 to the $100,000,000 land bank bill, designed specifically to allow the banks to be lenient with delinquent borrowers, was suggested today at a senate committee hearing.

It came from Chairman Carey of the banking sub-committee which has the measure before it after Paul Bestor, federal farm loan commissioner, testified that of $1,171,000,000 in outstanding land bank loans, $275,450,000 was delinquent.

The bill has already passed the house. It was designed to help ease the pressure on the farmers but Carey said the $25,000,000 would give the banks funds to permit the suggested moratorium on loans. Carey said his proposal was tentative.

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12,500 VETERANS TO GET SPECIAL CHECKS

Washintgon—(AP)—More than 12,500 beneficiaries will receive special Christmas checks totalling $390,000 from the veterans' administration, as a result of President Hoover signing the appropriation bill yesterday, providing $3,925,000 for adjusted service and dependent pay.

Veterans Administrator Hines said today that while payments on current awards have been made regularly, it had been necessary to hold initial payments on new awards in abeyance since last October as the fund had become depleted.

JAPANESE BROADEN ATTACK ON BANDITS

Mukden, Manchuria — (AP) —The scope of Japan's campaign against banditry in south Manchuria was greatly extended today as three expeditions went into operation southwest of Mukden against several thousand Chinese bandits between the South Manchuria railway trunk line and the Liao river.

Japanese headquarters issued no information regarding the size of the southern force, but it was learned Lieutenant-General Jiro Tamon, who captured Tsitsinar, was directing the operations of the Second division.

22 Compete For Prizes In Holiday Lighting Contest

With 22 homes competing for the prizes offered by the Appleton Post-Crescent, the entry list for the first Holiday Lighting Contest closed this noon. The addresses of the homes entered have been given to the judges who will make their inspections between tonight and Dec 28.

All contestants are requested to have their lights turned on each evening until after Dec. 28 so that the judges will be certain to see the homes illuminated. Prize winners will be announced before Jan. 1.

The eight prizes offered by the Appleton Post-Crescent are on display in its windows and are attracting a great deal of attention. They will be distributed to the winner about the first of the new year.

The Post-Crescent has been greatly encouraged in this effort by the response of Appleton people to the appeal that they decorate their homes for the Christmas holidays. Not only are there more homes decorated than ever before but more time and thought has been given to the decorations and the city is beautiful as a result. Every person in the city will be well repaid for spending an hour or two driving about the city to see the decorations.

Here are the names and addresses of the contestants:

Edward Kottke, 1193 N. Drew-st; Adeline Kluge, 702 N. Lawe-st; Frank Steidl, 823 N. State-st; M. G. Clark, 1617 N. Durkee-st; William Donlinger, 415 E. Wisconsin-ave; Alois Zaglauer, 318 W. Atlantic-st; J. J. Plank, 340 W. Prospect-ave; Henry W. Otto, 1042 W. Fifth-st; Frank Harriman, 327 W. Packard-st; R. B. Thiel, 907 N. Fox-st; E. A. Dettman, 516 N. Bateman-st; W. T. Fox, 815 S. Pierce-ave; Karl Sager, 620 E. North-st; Mrs. G. E. Buchanan, 1005 E. College-ave; William Scheer, 329 W. Prospect-ave; J. F. Murphy, 406 E. Brewster-st; Frances Reimer, 58 Bellaire-st; Gustave J. Keller, 921 E. College-ave; Seventh Grade boys of St. Mary school, 620 W. Seventh-st; Walter E. Held, 306 Chute-st, Menasha; G. C. Steidl, 537 N. Lawe-st; Marshall C. Graff, 1515 N. Durkee-st.

DECISION THIS WEEK IN WOMAN JUROR CASE

Minneapolis—(AP)—Decision will be announced Saturday in the contempt of court action against Mrs. Genevieve Clark, arising from jury disagreement in the Foshay mail fraud case.

The federal judges have had the matter under consideration several weeks since Mrs. Clark, only woman on the jury, held out for acquittal against the conviction votes of eleven men.

The government brought the contempt action, asserting Mrs. Clark committed perjury while being questioned as a prospective juror.

W. B. Foshay and six associates will be retried next month. The first jury was discharged because of the disagreement.

DENIES SLAVERY CHARGES

Washington—(AP)—Reports of "a hideous condition of slavery" in the levee camps on the Mississippi river are held utterly unfounded by Major General Lytle Brown, chief of army engineers.

RITES FOR DUCE'S BROTHER

Milan, Italy—(AP)—Arnaldo Mussolini, brother of the premier, was given a funeral today equal to those accorded to princes. The burial will take place tomorrow at Forli, where the brothers grew up together.

HUNT FOR CLEWS IN SLAYING AT OMAHA

Omaha—(AP)—Police today were without tangible clews in their hunt for the slayer of Harry H. Lapidus, 46, wealthy Omaha manufacturer and a leading figure in Nebraska politics, who was shot to death in his automobile near his home last night.

Two suspects were in custody but investigators discounted their value to the search for the slayer, who placed three bullets in Lapidus' head from close range, then sped away.

One of the suspects was said by police to have believed Lapidus interfered with his courtship of the daughter of one of his employes, although Lapidus had not done so.

The other suspect held was Gerald Cunningham, 28, of Omaha, step-son of C. E. Weldy, who was killed in an automobile crash several months ago near Missouri Valley, Iowa, in which Lapidus' car was involved.

5 BANDITS HOLD UP SHAWANO-CO PLACES

Shawano —(AP)—Five bandits escaped with approximately $300 in cash, candy and tobacco early today after holding up two Shawano-co business places, keeping the proprietor covered for more than an hour in each place as they ransacked the stores. Pinehurst filling station and lunchroom near here and the soft drink parlor of Herman Schultz, former Shawano-co sheriff at Thornton, were the places held up.

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Reconsideration Asked After Utilities Bill Is Engrossed

SENATE TO ACT AGAIN TUESDAY ON PROPOSAL

Measure Engrossed Last Night by 16 to 15 Vote —Huber Breaks Tie

Madison—(AP)—Senator J. H. Carroll, Hidden, independent, today asked the senate to reconsider the vote by which it ordered engrossment of the Loomis utilities regulation law.

Last night, with Lieut. Governor Henry A. Huber voting to break a tie, the measure was ordered engrossed by a vote of 16 to 15.

The bill, designed to meet unconstitutional features pointed to in law by the Dane-co circuit court, also requires the Public Service commission to impose on all utilities, without exemption, the cost of an investigation concerning them.

The bill comes up for action again in the senate Tuesday. Its adoption by the assembly was believed certain.

Spokesmen for the LaFollette administration viewed the engrossment of the bill as assuring a continuation of the investigation of the Wisconsin Telephone company in the present state wide rate case as it already has been undertaken by the Public Service commission.

Injunction Issued

The telephone company declined to pay the original bill for costs assessed by the commission in the rate case. The company won an injunction in Circuit Judge A. C. Hoppman's court against the operation of the strict regulation law as it stood on the statute books.

Judge Hoppman held that the act passed at the last session was defective from a constitutional standpoint in that it conferred upon the Public Service commission the legislative function of determining when the public interest shall be served by assessing investigation costs against a utility.

The Loomis bill removes that discretionary power from the commission.

Senator Philip E. Nelson, Maple independent, voted with the Progressives, making a 15-15 tie, which Lieut. Gov. Huber broke.

Senator George Blanchard of Edgerton, in a pre-vote exchanged with Loomis, said the bill would permit the commission to spend $11,000,000 or more in investigations. Loomis replied that only reasonable costs would be permissable and that the courts would not sustain them if they were not reasonable.

75 STUDENTS HAVE PERFECT RECORDS

Four Rural Schools Report on Attendance for December

Seventy-five pupils of four rural schools were neither absent nor tardy during December, according to reports received by A. G. Meating, county superintendent of schools. Following is a list of the schools and the names of the students with the perfect records:

Columbia school, town of Grand Chute, Miss Caroline Kauth, teacher, Donald Burton, Earl Burton, Marie Luckjohn, Warren Garske and Madaline Weber.

Ebben school, town of Vandenbroek, Miss Mary Williamson, teacher, Agnes Van Handel, Ethel Hendricks, Agnes Joosten, Edward Hendricks, Mathias Van Handel, Theodore Paalman, John Ver Voort, Dorothy Hendricks, Marie Lemmens, Irene Van Handel, Joseph Joosten, Frank Paalman, Minnie Joosten, Marie Spierings, Clifford Lamers, Joseph Ver Voort, Anna Lemmens, Mildred Spierings, Arnold Lemmens, Arnold Ver Voort, Arthur Van Handel, Magdaline Hendricks, William Paalman, Martha Lemmens, Junior Ver Voort, Richard Ver Voort, Richards Evers, Martin Ebben and Harry Hendricks.

Woodland school, town of Seymour, Miss Myra Reis, teacher, Joyce Tubbs, Myrtle Ploger, Alice Krahn, Ralph Blanshan, Lucius Goetz, Dorothy Lueck, Harold Blanshan, Sylvia Ploeger, Roger Gardener, Mildred Ploger, Jean Blansahn, Mildred Klarner, Elvina Reis, Edward Klarner, Billy Tubbs, Delores Radder, Billy Tubbs, Mary Ellen Tubbs, Billy Reis, Herbert Klarner, Norman Lueck, Lawrence Ganzel, Robert Lueck, Bernice Krahn, Virginia Ganzel and Violet Reis.

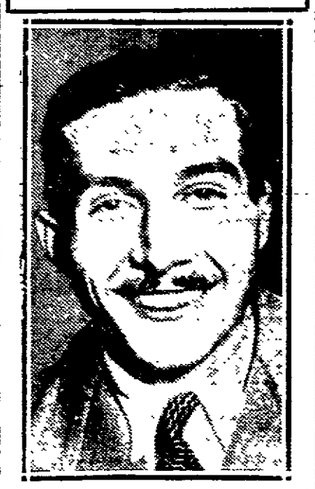
Dale Graded school, primary room, Dale, Miss Irma Sigl, Gayle Bock, Emily Zachow, Roger Cannon, Harold Reickmann, Bernice Leppla, Herbert Grosshuesch, Nyle Much, Donald Lieby, David Zehner, Robert Eich, Eslie Schuelke, Rosemary Reickmann, Marion and Charles Lelby and Lila Leppla.

NEGOTIATIONS ON FOR SALE OF UTILITY FIRM

Manitowoc—(AP)—Negotiations for the sale of the Wisconsin Fuel and Light company, which operates the Manitowoc gas plant, to the Wisconsin Public Service corporation are under way, according to City Attorney C. E. Teitgen. The gas company, Teitgen said, has made application to the State Public Service commission for a valuation on the plant.

There will be a 4 game sweepstakes at Elk alleys Saturday, Dec. 26 and Saturday, Jan. 2. The $1 entry fee will go for prizes.

Slain in Paris



Richard Wall, above, 31-year-old American living in Paris, was robbed, murdered and his body thrown in the Seine, according to a confession obtained from a young Frenchman, an acquaintance of Wall. Police are searching for the body.

U. S. MARSHAL TO SPEAK AT BLACK CREEK MEETING

Expect Hundreds of Farmers to Hear J. N. Tittemore

Hundreds of farmers from approximately five counties, chairmen of town boards and other village and town officials are expected to attend a mass meeting at Black Creek village auditorium at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The meeting is being arranged under auspices of the Black Creek unit of the National Milk Pool, and the speaker will be J. N. Tittemore, Omro, U. S. marshal, and former state and national president of the American Society of Equity.

An effort is being made to bring Congressman George J. Schneider from Washington to give an address. Arrangements are being made by the following committee: Frank Wisthoff, E. G. Graupmann, Alfred Beyer and Otto Rohm. Fred Herzfeldt of this city is making intercounty arrangements.

Others who have been invited to the meeting are Postmaster Emmery Greunke of this city, and Gus Sell, Outagamie-co agent.

Tittemore will discuss farm problems, and will base his solutions on facts compiled in his book, recently published. Tittemore believes that to preserve the farm homestead of Lincoln in America is necessary or Communism will prevail.

Regulate Production

His book deals with soil conservation and regulated production. The author contends that before regulation is attempted, there must be a surplus laid aside to insure the people their full food supply while the change is being made. He claims that cooperative marketing is a matter to be handled for the joint interests of both producers and consumers.

A temporary and tentative financial plan also is provided by the author to set the permanent plan into immediate action. He claims the tentative plan should provide an adequate sinking fund to tide the farmers through to the solid and permanent reorganization.

Mr. Tittemore believes that farm finance reorganization should follow lines of concurrence of state and national governments in working out the problem, and should have as its objective the perpetuation of the traditional land policy of the early founders of the government and Lincoln and to sustain the farm homestead as a "going" farm business.

Congress Today

Senate—Stands adjourned until Jan. 4.

Banking subcommittee under Chairman Carey of Wyoming opens hearings on proposals to increase land banks' capital.

House—In adjournment for Christmas and New Year.

MRS. DONNELLY PICKS SUSPECT IN KIDNAPING

Identifies Steam Shovel Operator from Photograph as Gang Leader

Kansas City—(AP)— Identification by Mrs. Nell Donnelly of a snapshot of Marshall DePew, 38, steam shovel operator, as the leader of "amateur" kidnapers who abducted her last week gave impetus to a wide-spread search for him today.

Mrs. Donnelly, wealthy manufacturer who was released without payment of the $75,000 in ransom demanded, said DePew was the driver of the motor car which carried her and her Negro chauffeur, George Blair, to a rendezvous near Bonner Springs, Kas., last Wednesday night.

She said that during the drive he shouted orders to his companions to "shut her up" when she started screaming. The same voice, she added, dictated to her a letter outlining the ransom demands.

Previously the steam shovel operator had been brought into the case by the confessions of Lacey Browning, a farmer, and Paul Scheidt, a dairy employee, who were arraigned on kidnaping charges late yesterday. Since the crime is a capital offense in Missouri they are held without bond.

Detectives said they believed five men, all novices at kidnaping, were held. They also are seeking Vic Bonura, 40, a restaurant owner, and another unidentified accomplice.

Police reported telephone calls from Bonner Springs to Bonura's cafe led them to suspect him. He could not be found last night.

Mrs. Donnelly and Blair were freed early Friday morning. DePew and his wife, Ethel, a registered nurse, boarded a bus for St. Louis Saturday night. Associates at their rooming house said the couple had announced their destination as Louisiana.

Further evidence which detectives said connected DePew with the case was found in a report of Ray Zellers, a chance acquaintance. He said he had rejected a proposition by DePew to kidnap some wealthy Kansas Sitian.

"DePew said he had a man about 55 years of age in mind," Zellers related. "He told me the man had been under the care of a physician and that Mrs. DePew was a nurse and that he was wealthy. He said the man and his wife owned a factory here."

Statement of Browning and Scheidt said DePew had Paul Donnelly, their victim's husband, in mind first. Police believed they abducted Mrs. Donnelly because her husband was ill and confined to his home.

DANCE HALL BRAWL CLIMAXED BY FINES

R. J. Sambs, Leo Sambs, and Ed Sambs Each Fined $5 and Costs

R. J. Sambs and Leo Sambs, Milwaukee, and Ed Sambs, Appleton, were fined $5 and costs each by Judge Theodore Berg in municipal court yesterday when they pleaded guilty of drunkenness. The fines mark the close of a case that has been pending since June 28 when Jack Frenzl, a county dance hall inspector, was stabbed in the arm in a brawl at the Blue Goose Inn on the Apple Creek-rd, just beyond the city limits.

Frenzl, who was attacked by the three men, charged one of them stabbed him in the arm when he attempted to put them out of the place. Immediately after the affair a warrant was issued charging them with assault and battery, drunkenness and assault with intent to do great bodily harm. The first warrant was dismissed on a technicality, but a second warrant, charging the same offense, was issued. This latter warrant was withdrawn and the one charging drunkenness was substituted after a financial settlement was made with Frenzl.

Bees, Roses, Strawberries Greet Old Man Winter As He Makes Official Entry

Chicago—(AP)— It's a topsy-turvy country, meteorologically speaking.

Winter arrived promptly on time at 1:30 p. m. yesterday, but you'd never realize it because it bumped into a pre-Christmas "heat wave."

Down in Indiana, near Kendallville the bees were buzzing around, just like they do in the good old summer time.

Cuba, Ill., will be able to serve Santa Claus with strawberries and cream, when he visits that neighborhood. Lon Henderson picked 'em yesterday.

And the sap is running out of the trees in Geuga-co, Ohio. Lynn Hosford, a Chardon, Ohio, farmer tapped 800 trees and got twenty gallon of syrup which will help some "when winter comes."

Up in Milwaukee young couples, lured by the spring-like temperatures parking their automobiles along the shore of Lake Michigan, watching the waves come in. The mercury was up to 53 yesterday.

Pipestone, in southwestern Minnesota had a temperature of 47 and the folks in that section reported that ungraveled roads were virtually impassable because of the frost coming out of the ground.

New York had one of those old fashioned summer-time thundershowers, with a gloomy fog that made ship movements difficult, and Pittsburgh reported an electrical storm and heavy rain.

Roses were blooming in Louisville and the Chicago weather man had to go all the way back to Dec. 22, 1875, to find a temperature to equal yesterday's 57. Cleveland had 59, an all-time record.

The southwest was warm, too. So was the Rocky mountain section. Tennis courts and golf links were doing a rushing business in Denver. On the Pacific coast the weather was mostly seasonable.

And Christmas is just around the corner.

In contrast to the summery winter of other areas, between 800 and 1,000 wild horses were starving to death in the San Luis valley, east of Monassa, Colo., because the rangeland was covered with snow.

Attendants worked to keep the roads open through General Grant park in the Sierras, where winter has laid a thick covering of snow.

DIES AS HE ATTENDS FUNERAL OF KINSMAN

Elkhorn—(AP)—George B. Hayes, of Elkhorn, who went to Spokane, Wash., to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law, died there today, according to messages received by relatives. Hayes, 59, was manager of the Elkhorn Lumber company. Formerly he was a railroad telegrapher. His widow and one daughter survive.

RELIEF ACTION WAITING UNTIL AFTER RECESS

Legislature Votes to Adjourn from Today Until Next Monday

Madison—(AP)—By voting to adjourn from today until next Monday the state legislature put aside the question of unemployment relief until after the Christmas holiday.

The $17,000,000 administration relief bill introduced by Assemblyman Robert A. Nixon of Washburn, and passed by the lower house, was laid on the table in the senate by a vote of 16 to 15 late yesterday.

Senator Philip E. Nelson, Maple independent, whose $6,000,000 substitute bill was passed by the upper house in preference to a duplicate of the Nixon bill, but killed by the assembly voted for the postponement.

Senator Nelson said he has not had the same opportunity as other senators to discuss the relief issue "back home," that he had been advised from his district that a further delay doesn't matter inasmuch as no relief measure has been passed and that he intended to talk with his constituents before making a final decision.

If the present lineup in the senate prevails Nelson virtually holds the solution of the relief issue in his hand. His vote against the administration bill will prevent its enactment and his vote for it would throw the senate into a tie which Lieut. Gov. Henry Huber, a Progressive, would decide.

When Nelson voted to go back home and talk things over a resolution by Senator Harry B. Daggett of Milwaukee, to adjourn to Jan. 5 was pending.

Through an amendment offered by Senator Walter Polakowski, Milwaukee Socialist, the reconvening date was changed to Monday Dec. 28, leaving Nelson but five days to make his decision. The assembly concurred in the amended resolution.

Senator Polakowski bitterly assailed the plan to adjourn until after New Year's and got into an argument with Senator Walter S. Goodland of Racine.

Emphasizing "how the people in the industrial districts feel about relief" the Milwaukee Socialist said he intended to assist some of the other senators in learning how their constituents feel about it.

"As for these senators who are not fully aware of the desires of their people I'll try to help them find out," Polakowski said as he launched into a tirade against delay.

Senator Goodland took the remarks as pertaining to him and arose with the assertion, "I don't intend to have the governor's bill thrust down my throat.

"Does the senator (Polakowski) wear some other man's collar?" he asked. "I don't. And I won't have any governor or anyone else telling me how to vote."

Goodland then referred to rumors that Racine Socialists have been planning a recall election to oust him.

"I want to be recalled if I am not representing the people of my district," he said.

Polakowski broke in with the statement that he did not mention any particular senator and was not referring to Goodland.

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New Organization Would Increase Game Bird Life

BY BERT CLAFLIN

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A new organization called "More Game Birds in America" has sprung into being with headquarters at 500 Fifth-ave, New York City. The vice president of this organization is asking for help and starts off his plea by a sound statement of game conditions in this country and Canada, and finishes same by explaining how our game birds can, without any question, be restored in ample numbers.

Everything may be all right so far as this new "foundation" is concerned. I am not condemning it, nor should anyone else, until it is learned whether or not it has the sanction of the federal government. It seems to me that their pleas for cooperation would have been more effective had they at least shown who is at the head of this new organization.

It is true that migratory waterfowl recognize no international boundaries. They breed principally in Canada, winter chiefly in the United States and provide shooting for the sportsmen of both countries. The futility of striving to cope with their decrease under existing methods is plain. Droughts are not stayed by congressional fiat nor natural enemies banished by act of Parliament.

What, then, is the answer to the doleful waterfowl outlook? Simply this: Action by the United States and Canada, supported by sportsmen of both nations, to establish an International Waterfowl Agency. This agency should be organized by and function respectively under the supervision and control of existing departments of the two governments concerned with the administration of laws relating to migratory waterfowl.

The projected agency could be patterned after the port of New York authority, created under a treaty between the states of New York and New Jersey and ratified by act of congress. Port Authority has cut governmental red tape, eliminated expensive delay and by direct action has been notably successful in developing transportation and shipping facilities to serve the fifteen million people of the mertopolitan area.

Mutual advantages of the proposed agency to the states, the dominion and the sportsmen of both are so patent as to admit of no successful contravention. While many former breeding grounds in the United States can possibly be restored, it is to Canada chiefly that we must turn for more waterfowl. About seventy five per cent of the waterfowl on the North American continent are Canada bred. And at least seventy five per cent of those birds are bagged each year in the United States.

In my next article I shall outline the objectives of the proposed agency. It should interest every sportsman. Before I close this article let me say a word about the new "foundation" having gone to considerable effort to acknowledge with much gratitude the study and "criticism" of Paul G. Redington, head of the Biological Survey of the United States. Outdoor Life-Recreation magazine claims open-handed that Redington strongly favors the owners of the big shooting preserves along the Atlantic Coast and inland, and that he worked hard to keep the duck limit at 25 per day, for their benefit.

$1,500 SOUGHT IN ANNUAL SEAL SALE

$1,375 Reported So Far, According to Mrs. E. V. Werner, Chairman

A renewed effort to bring the present $1,375 anti-tuberculosis fund up to $1,500 before the first of the year will be made by all Christmas seal workers according to Mrs. Edgar V. Werner, local chairman. Although the goal this year was placed at $2,500, Mrs. Werner declares that the response this year had been successful.

"More persons in the city have contributed to the seal campaign than in previous years", Mrs. Werner said. The reason behind the smaller fund is that less money was contributed. "Many of the workers still have seal contributors to see in the final check up week after Jan. 1. It is hoped that we go over the $1,500 amount."

The money from the Christmas seals will revert partly back into the community in the local work against tuberculosis and the other part will be given to the state anti-tuberculosis association for health work in the state. Statistics show, according to a late report received by Mrs. Werner, that tuberculosis has gained during the last year because of the widespread unemployment which results in malnutrition and underfed children cases.

The penny seals may be used after the holidays, Mrs. Werner pointed out, and every penny placed in a Christmas seal is a part of a community effort to resist tuberculosis in the community.

Sofia, Bulgaria— Walking sticks are in large demand right now.

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SAYS MILK PRICE CUTS ARE HURTING PRODUCER

Madison—(AP)— Wilbert L. Witte, marketing chief for the state department of agriculture and markets, Monday said that contrary to general opinion, cutting of milk prices in various cities has done little more than to cut down the producers' income without aiding appreciably in reducing the price for the consumer.

"Just as long as farm prices are down," he said, "there can be no return to prosperity for this country. The farmers' purchasing power has been cut until the prices of manufactured products are beyond their ability to buy."

He said a reduction of five cents a hundred pounds of milk on a production of ten billion pounds means cutting off $5,000,000 from the farmers' income.

Witte warned farmers against letting too much milk go into surplus, as such milk ultimately is used in the manufacture of ice cream mix, city cream, or condensory products and in reality is "short selling" milk.

Dance at Black Creek, Friday, Dec. 25th.

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Mailing Rush Continues at Post Office — Incoming Parcel Post Increases

Despite the fact that Appleton's Christmas mailing season started late this year, the rush is being maintained. The peak, which was reached Monday when 105,000 pieces of first class mail were sent from the post office here for a new record, continued Tuesday when the total cancellations of first class mail were 94,760.

Although there was a slight decrease in the number of outgoing letters and cards, there was a large increase in the number of incoming parcels and packages, postal officials said. The increase in packages Tuesday kept four regular and six extra truckmen and 10 helpers at work from 7 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the evening.

Wednesday morning there again was a heavy influx of parcel post and postal officials said they expected Wednesday and Thursday would mark the heavies days so far as incoming packages is concerned. Wednesday, they said, probably would be the peak day for packages delivered in the city.

No extra clerks or helpers were put on duty Tuesday, although the full additional staff at work Monday again was employed. It was expected the full staff would be kept on duty Wednesday.

Regular clerks, numbering 15, put in a total of 64 overtime hours Wednesday while regular city mail carriers, numbering 19, put in 55 overtime hours. In addition six sub carriers and four sub clerks were on duty.

This year a system has been adopted whereby the sub carriers assist the regular carriers on city routes by handling portions of each of the largest routes. The regular carrier routes the mail while the sub carriers assist in routing parcel post packages in the basement.

Then the regular carrier takes out a portion of the mail and a sub carrier takes out another portion. As soon as the sub carrier finishes work on one route he takes out a portion of mail on another route. Some of the sub carriers are familiar with as many as five or six routes, thus making it possible for them to work parts of more than one route and give assistance to more than one carrier. When the regular carrier completes his frist round he hastens back to the post office and routes his second batch of mail, on which he again is assisted by the sub.

ATTORNEYS TO HOLD MEETING IN MADISON

Plans are being made by several Appleton attorneys to attend the annual mid winter meeting of the Wisconsin Bar association in Madison on Feb. 6. Plans for the meeting were made at a meeting of the executive committee of the association at Madison this week. J. L. Johns, Algoma, formerly of Appleton, is a member of the committee.

A city will be selected at this meeting for the annual state convention in June. Baraboo, Fond du Lac, Racine and La Crosse are being considered by the executive committee.

Guy A. Thompson, St. Louis, president of the American Bar association, and Pierce Butler, judge of the United States supreme court, will be convention speakers, the executive group was told Saturday.

17 HIGH SCHOOLS IN OSHKOSH DISTRICT

Nearby high schools in the Oshkosh district for the state competition in debate and dramatics, sponsored by the Wisconsin High School Forensic association, include Kaukauna, Menasha and Neenah. Others in the Oshkosh district are. Algoma, Argonne, Chilton, Clintonville, Crandon, Eagle River, Hiles, Lanoa, Marion, Oconto, Seymour, Shawano, Wabeno, and West De Pere.

High schools are registered in the various teachers' college districts through the state in all speech activities. Preliminary contests will begin early next year with the final debate finals scheduled for March 31 in Madison and the state dramatics contests on April 1.

Railways of Great Britain are advertising that only one passenger was killed in railway train accidents in Britain last year.

Find All Hawks, Owls Not Detrimental To Wild Life

BY BERT CLAFLIN

Conservation departments are beginning to wake up to the fact that not all hawks and owls are detrimental to wild life. A legislative blunder in Missouri which placed a bounty on the heads of hawks and owls without naming any species, when strict conservation laws already existed protecting all except three hawks and one owl, has resulted in the creation of a new science by the Missouri game and fish department.

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Since the bounty law left payment of the rewards in the hands of county clerks, and since it is difficult to distinguish the harmful from the valuable species when only heads are presented, the department engaged the professor of zoology at the University of Missouri to make a thorough study of the heads of all the different species of hawks and owls.

He prepared a "key," which is said to enable the clerks to name the exact species almost automatically by revealing slight variations in the shape of the beaks. The department simultaneously issued a bulletin telling shooters how to distinguish the outlawed goshawk, Cooper's hawk, sharp-shinned hawk and great horned owl from other birds, and at the same time warned that every person who kills a protected variety will be prosecuted under the conservation law.

At the American Game conference held recently in New York it was reported that a new type of detective had made considerable progress in identifying "killers." By adopting methods somewhat similar to those employed by finger experts in running down human criminals, wild life investigators, working in the fields and woods, have now arrived at a new system.

They now positively identify the species of wild creatures responsible for the death of any valuable game bird, even when only a few feathers remain to supply the clues.

A group of field men, who for two years have been conducting a survey of the ruffed grouse in New York state, in an effort to save this rare species from extinction, exhibited feathers bearing the tell-tale evidence which they have learned to read, some of it incomprehensible without the aid of magnifying glasses and photography.

A fox, in devouring its kill, invariably clips the wing feathers off sharply at a certain point, while a winged killer just as invariably leaves talon marks which an expert can decipher. The nature of the marks and the distance between them distinguishes the handiwork of a great horned owl from that of a hawk, and may even label the species of hawk, no way has so far been discovered to distinguish the attack of a mink or raccoon from that of a straying house cat.

It was explained at the meeting that while no species of wild life shall be completely eradicated from any territory, it is their intentsion to encourage reduction in the ranks of the predatory enemies when any disappearing species is involved.

WILL ISSUE WINTER REPORTS ON ROADS

Daily Information Can Be Secured at State Division Offices

A system of furnishing definite daily information roads throughout the state this winter has been worked out by the state highway commission, according to [illegible] the highway department. A weekly report on road conditions, compiled by the nine divisional offices throughout the state, will be sent out each Friday to every highway department in the state.

Motorists, however, are being advised that if they want a more detailed and late report on roads they should get in touch with the divisional office of that section of the state which they plan to visit. Division offces are located as follows: No. 1, Capitol annex, Madison; No. 2, Commerce building, Milwaukee; No. 3, Nicolet Building, Green Bay, No. 4, Citizens National Bank building, Wisconsin Rapids; No. 5, Batavian National Bank Building, La Crosse No. 6, 213 S. Barstow-st. Eau Claire, No. 7, court house, Rhinelander, No 8, 1517 Tower ave. Superior and No. 9, Herald building, Lancaster.

DIVISION TO OFFER ACCOUNTING COURSE

A class in advanced accounting will get underway shortly after the first of the year at Appleton vocational school under auspices of the University of Wisconsin Extension division. W. J. Schenck, who has been conducting similar courses throughout the state during the past few years, will be the instructor. Those interested in the course have been asked to notify the vocational school or representatives of the division.

U. S. YACHT IN NEW ZEALAND

The American auxiliary yacht, Northern Light, in which Zlatko Balokovic, eminent Jugoslav violinist, and his party are touring the world has arrived at Littleton, N. Z., and is being overhauled. After visiting Australian ports the party will proceed to the Dutch East Indies, the Red Sea and the Mediterranean.

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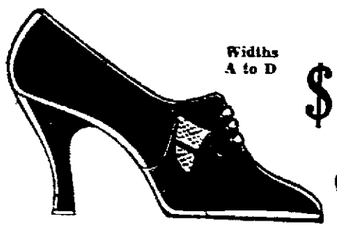

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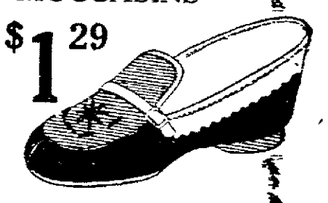

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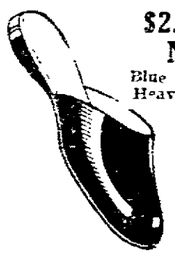

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200 Christmas Baskets Available For Appleton's Poor Families

CLOTHES, FOOD AND TOYS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED

Church and Civic Groups and Students Cooperate in Relief Program

Chirstmas cheer will be brought to the homes of approximately 200 needy families in Appleton tomorrow through the efforts of various church and civic organizations, it was estimated today.

Several hundred Christmas baskets, each filled with enough food to supply dinners for an entire family, will be distributed. A number of the baskets also will contain clothing and toys.

Grade and high school students also have entered the spirit of the holiday period, anxiously doing their bit toward making the Christmas season just a bit merrier for less fortunate persons.

The majority of grade schools, after holding their Christmas programs, turned over their Christmas trees to poor families. A number of student organization have sponsored toy repairing and clothes mending programs for weeks.

Sunday school classes throughout the city, small social organizations and clubs have obtained names of needy families from the poor department. The list of poor in Appleton is cleared through this office to avoid duplication as much as possible.

According to Miss Gladys Stolt, secretary of the City Relief and Welfare council at the city hall, there still are several families who may be without Christmas cheer. Their names will be turned over to any organization or group interested in supplying Christmas food.

Churches in the city are caring for their needy members through the church women's organizations and Sunday school, many lodges and clubs are sponsoring Christmas giving for needy members within their own ranks.

Prepares 40 Baskets

The American legion and the auxiliary will prepare 40 baskets this year for legionnaire families, with the auxiliary collecting toys and extra cheer to put in the baskets for the season. Boy and Girl scout troops in the city will have charge of several families, delivering the baskets Thursday to poor all over the city. Each of the Girl Scout troops is sponsoring relief for at least one poor family. Food and clothing was collected at troop meetings during this last week by the scouts.

A unique plan has been established by the Ladies of Sir Knights, auxiliary of the Appleton Commandery. Every meeting throughout the winter these women will bring at least one can of food, which will be turned over to the Salvation Army. The first "tin can collection" was held last week for Christmas giving, but will be continued until spring.

The Woman's Relief Corps held a series of fruit and jell showers at their meeting, the women bringing home canned preserves and fruits to supply to 15 needy families for Christmas. This group also will send Christmas candy and flower gifts to their own shut-ins.

Appleton students have shared work in Christmas giving this year by making toys and repairing clothes. The manual arts departments of Wilson junior high school has been repairing old toys collected by the Appleton Girl Scouts during last week. At the high school the Industrial Arts club members have spent part of their vacation making mechanical wooden animal toys for needy children. In the Home Arts departments in junior high schools, clothes brought to the Appleton Relief and Welfare council have been cleaned and repaired as a part of their school work.

Jaces Join Move

Girl Reserves of Appleton high school have delivered five Christmas baskets to poor families, the Junior Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring eight families and the Girl Scouts will have charge of 12 families.

Seven families will be assisted by Sunday school classes and through the Good Cheer fund at First Methodist church with Christmas baskets being delivered today and Thursday. The Presbyterian women of the church are supplying the milk to several needy families in the city during the holidays.

The Business and Professional Woman's club will take care of three families this year, giving them as complete a Christmas as possible with Christmas dinner basket, clothing and food supplies. Candy and toys have been collected to put in the holiday baskets and several other families will receive toys and candy to brighten their Christmas meal.

Appleton Apostolate is supplying special grocery and meat orders to many families this year rather than giving baskets. Last year their work included more than 100 families and the number this year will approximate that amount before the winter is over, according to Mrs. Gustave Keller, Sr.

First Baptist church will supply food, toys and clothing to about 12 families in its congregation. Supplies for the needy were brought at the White Gift service at the church last Sunday. Several families will be supplied with necessities for several weeks.

Care For Members

The Rebekahs and Three Links clubs will care for their own members, especially remembering the aged and orphaned at the Oddfellow home in Green Bay. Blankets, towels, money and games for the children have been supplied to people at the home. About 15 Christmas baskets will be sent to shut-in members in the city.

The auxiliary to Spanish War Veterans has collected food and clothing which will be delivered Thursday to families in need within their own group. The auxiliary of All Saints Episcopal church will provide Christmas dinners for six families, the Deaconesses of First Congregational church, eight families.

The Jewish Ladies Aid will provide 18 families with food and clothing this year as well as supply 12 Christmas baskets to other poor families. This group has an active relief committee, the work of which is considered one of the most important in the organization.

Eight Christmas baskets will be provided poor families in the organization of the Royal Neighbors of America and the Women's Christian Temperance union has supplied needy through cash assistance and individual gifts.

RELIEF COUNCIL NEEDS CHILDREN'S SHOES, UNDERWEAR

Children's underwear and shoes are needed at the storeroom operated by the Appleton Welfare and Relief council in the basement of Hotel Northern, Mrs. Paul Hackbert, chariman of the clothing drive, announced today. A steady stream of requests for children's clothing has almost completely depleted the storeroom's supply of underwear and shoes, and unless it is replenished many applicants will have to be turned away.

Donors of clothing can take them to the storeroom any time between 1 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, or call Mrs. Hackbert for collection.

Last week 396 articles of clothing were distributed by the two workers in the storeroom.

MAENNERCHOR SINGS OLD GERMAN SONGS

Large Crowd Attends Program at Community Christmas Tree

The old, loved German yuletide melodies sung by the Appleton Maennerchor last night at the Community service at Oneida-st and College-ave brought more than 500 persons from all parts of the county to the program. Most of the crowd were German folks who could understand the carols they have known since childhood, given under the direction of Prof. A. J. Theiss.

The program tonight will be the culmination of the week's community singing activity with the largest aggregation of Appleton singers ever gathered in one service before. All singers in Appleton organizations will participate in the 7 o'clock program under the direction of Dean Carl J. Waterman.

Combined church choirs will form the nucleus of the singers tonight. Choirs from the First Methodist, Memorial Presbyterian, First Baptist, First Congregational, Mt. Olive Lutheran churches and Catholic church groups will be represented in the large community chorus.

Words of the carols that will be sung tonight will be flashed on a large white screen on one of the buildings so that the whole community may participate in the group singing. This is the last of the community programs which have been given each night by the Salvation Army, the schoolchildren choruses, the Maennerchor and this final program.

ALIENIST CLAIMS TOMPKINS INSANE

Calls Him "Prince of Ego Land" and "Man With Triple Personality"

Milwaukee—(AP)—. Ray Tompkins was dubbed "prince of ego land" and called a man with a "triple personality" by an alienist yesterday who insisted the wife slayer still was insane.

The alienist, Dr. Frank C. Richmond, testifying at Tampkins' sanity hearing, explained his ego appellation by pointing out Tompkins had endeavored to conduct the examination himself and generally treated his counsel like "an office boy."

"In Mr. Tompkins we have really three men," said Dr. Richmond. "First, there is Professor Tompkins, the man of immaculate purpose with his grand scheme to reform the world and make it a better and purer place to live in. Secondly, there is Mr. Tompkins, real estate operator, wizard of finance and the man who murdered his wife. Thirdly, there is the person, Ray Tompkins, an insane man."

Dr. Richmond said Tompkins' mind works in reverse and "it must play tricks upon him."

STORES CLOSE EARLY ON CHRISTMAS EVE

Appleton retail business establishments will close at 6 o'clock Thursday evening to permit employes to enjoy Christmas eve with their families, it was announced this morning by A. J. Gemesse, chairman of the chamber of commerce retail division.

The Elite theatre also will be closed on Christmas eve to permit employes to spend the evening at home. The theatre will be open Christmas day at the usual time.

PLAN YULE PARTY FOR TROOP 1 SCOUTS

Boy scouts of Troop 1, St. Joseph Catholic church, will be entertained at a Christmas party in the church hall at 7:30 Wednesday evening. Games and stunts will furnish entertainment and a Christmas lunch will be served. The hall was decorated Wednesday afternoon by troop members.

HOOVER TRYING TO PICK REST OF DISARM BODY

Senator Vandenberg of Michigan Is Considered Possible Delegate

Washington—(AP)—President Hoover is looking over his senate Republican flock for a partner to serve with Senator Swanson, Democrat, Virginia, on the American delegation to Geneva but there is no certainty that he will follow precedent and have two senators on the delegation.

Arthur Vandenberg, Michigan, one of the newer members of the foreign relations committee, is considered the most likely choice of Mr. Hoover if he goes to the senate for another member of the delegation.

However, the Michigan senator, like some of his other Republican colleagues, on this committee, is believed to prefer remaining at home just now because of the press of domestic problems confronting congress.

Mr. Hoover has not invited Vandenberg nor will the senator discuss the possibility. However, Vandenberg is a close friend of Ambassador Dawes who was selected yesterday to head the delegation.

Borah Won't Serve

As in the past, Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee, has made known that he is not open to an invitation to serve on an international delegation.

Senator Reed of Pennsylvania, who went to the London naval conference, likewise is understood to have indicated that he could not be considered for the Geneva delegation.

It is believed the administration cast an eye on Senator Moses of New Hampshire, a high ranking member of the foreign relations committee who has had diplomatic experience, but Moses has indicated that the money and time were not available for him in this capacity.

The name of Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow was mentioned by some state department officials as a possibility and several women's peace organizations are working for the appointment of Dr. Mars Emma Woolley, president of Mt. Holyoke college.

HEAVY RECEIPTS OF COAL IN TEN YEARS

100,000,000 Tons Received at Duluth-Superior Harbor

Superior —(AP)— Coal receipts at the Duluth-Superior harbor from lower lake ports during the past ten years have aggregated nearly 100,000,000 tons, according to a report made public here by Major J. C. Bullard, United States district engineer.

For the first time since 1923, the coal receipts at the head of the lakes during the navigation season fell below the nine-million ton mark, Major Bullard reported.

The total amount of coal brought to the twin ports since 1922 is 98,718 631 tons, according to Major Bullard, while recepits during the navigation season just closed aggregated 7,715,456 tons, a decrease of $2,177,849 tons over the 1930 season.

The average total received at the head of the lakes during the past ten years was 9,871,863 tons, while the biggest amount brought in any single season was in 1923, the total being 12,688,321 tons. In 1931 there were 849 boats bringing coal to the Twin Ports with an average cargo of 9,088 tons compared with 1,052 arrivals in 1930 with an average cargo of 9,494 tons.

Only a small amount of coal was brought here in April, May, November and December, Major Bullard's report shows, with August the banner month. In August receipts totaled 1,505,456 tons, while receipts in each June, July, September and October were more than a million tons.

The bulk of the coal was soft, the total being 7,357,065 tons; 306,447 tons of hard coal and 51,974 tons of coke. The largest cargo during the season was 12,233 tons of soft coal.

Receipts of coal at the head of the lakes from 1922 to 1931: (tons) 1922, 5,705,296; 1923, 12,688,321; 1924 9,020,872; 1925, 9,872,791; 1926, 10,441 [illegible] 1927, 12,022,634; 1928, 10,340,457; 1929, 10,[illegible]; 1930, 9,833,305; 1931, 7,715,456.

START CONSTRUCTION OF NEW STORM SEWER

Work on the Morrison-st storm sewer was started Tuesday by the R. J. Wilson company. Although this sewer installation is a part of the unemployment relief program, a machine is being used for digging because the trench is too deep for hand work. All hand labor will be used on the other sewers to be installed this winter, Locust, N. Division and Parkway-blvd. These jobs will start some time after Christmas.

The Morrison-st sewer installation is being done at this time not so much to provide employment as to relieve the drainage situation in the three blocks between Atlantic and Commercial-sts.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Kimberly Real Estate company to Martin Van Eyck, lot in Little Chute.

P. J. Graham to William Vandenheuvel, parcel of land in town of Seymour.

Albert Conradt to Martin Conradt, parcel of land in town of Bovina.

"Closet Child" Goes to Parents' Trial

Dressed up like a child of 6 going to a party, 12-year-old Edith Riley is shown above as a nurse escorted her to the Washington court where her father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Riley, were tried for cruelty. The picture shows how the girl, now weighing 57 pounds in contrast to 37 pounds on the day of her rescue, has partially recovered from the effects of the four years in which she was alleged to have been imprisoned in a dark closet.

Chinese Leaders Pledge Friendship To America

Nanking — (AP)—China, although threatened with war among her own people and from a foreign foe, renewed today her pledge to the American people of "cooperation in the cause of peace on earth and good will among men."

Through the Associated Press, Lin Sen, veteran of many years experience in Chinese politics and now acting president of China, today extended to Americans, on behalf of the Chinese people, best wishes for prosperity during the coming year. Lin is acting president in place of Chiang Kai Shek who resigned and has left Nanking for retirement.

With the entire national government cabinet resigned since yesterday, resulting in the virtually complete responsibility for national government affairs resting upon him alone, the veteran Kuomintang chieftain said:

"In behalf of the Chinese people I extend to our friends in America sincere wishes for a happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

"We renew our pledge of cooperation in the cause of peace on earth and good will among men."

A further greeting came from Dr. Wellington Koo, until yesterday foreign minister. Dr. Koo, who issued an appeal to the United States last Monday to maintain her traditional policy of upholding Chinese integrity and declared the Japanese are harboring aims of world empire, said today:

"The American people, with malice toward none and with good will toward all, are destined to play an increasingly important role in the common task of bettering the world. My best wishes are with them."

Referring to China's troubled foreign relations, he said: "Every year's experience makes us hope more fervently than ever that right and justice may govern international relations instead of might and war. It is only by constantly striving toward the attainment of this goal that the desired peace and continued prosperity may become a reality."

PERSONALS

Misses Helen L. Werner and Gwen Vander Walker, both of Appleton, who are attending the library school at the University of Illinois, are home for the holidays.

Clifford Courtney, Miami, Fla., a student at Miami university, arrived home last night to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Courtney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Skinner and daughter, Janet, Minneapolis, Minn., are spending the holidays with Mrs. Skinner's sister, Mrs. Norbert Verbrick, 375 Naymut-st, Menasha. Mrs. Skinner was formerly Miss Charlotte Peterson, Appleton.

Miss Phyllis Ornstein, a student at the University of Michigan, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ornstein, North-st.

Miss Elizabeth Kronke, student nurse at Milwaukee, arrived in Appleton Thursday to spend a three weeks' vacation with her sister, Mrs. Nelson DeRosier, 416 S. Mason-st. Miss Kronke will finish her nurse's course in April and will be graduated the following June.

Russell Thompson, who is attending Iowa State college, Ames, Ia., arrived last Saturday to spend his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson 419 E. Pacific-st. He is a senior in civil engineering.

YOUTH INJURES FOOT IN ZUELKE ELEVATOR

Raymond Knelce, 20, 1824 S. Lawe-st, was injured about 2:30 Monday afternoon while operating the freight elevator in the Irving Zuelke building when his right foot caught in the elevator door. His foot was badly smashed, several toes being fractured.

ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The Fox River Poultry and Pet Stock association will hold its annual meeting at the George Loos Harness shop at 7:30 Wednesday evening. Officers will be elected.

CHILDREN FEEL LACK OF SNOW HAMPERS SANTA

According to most Appleton youngsters Santa Claus is the fellow who had to hitch hike down from the northlands, trailing his bags of toys and reindeer behind him. Children have asked Mr. Claus of one of the department stores more than and other question how he arrived without any snow.

Santa has also found that children have sensed the depression here. In a little story about a young fellow who was seriously watching an electric train with covetous eyes, this Santa told how this youngster looked wistfully at his mother and said: "I'll be satisfied with just a wind-up on that train during this depression, Mother."

BEAUTY PARLOR OPERATOR FINED

Waupaca Woman Assessed Highest Fine in Board of Health History

What has been called the highest fine ever assessed against an unlicensed operator of a beauty parlor, in the history of the state board of health, was assessed the other day against Leona Behm, Waupaca. The fine was $50 and costs levied by Justice S. E. Johnson, Waupaca.

Complaint that the Behm beauty parlor was being operated without a license for several years was made by Miss Belle Pickard, investigator for the state board of health. Because of the long period of violation Justice Johnson assessed the heavy fine, he said.

The Waupaca arrest was one of several the state department is contemplating against unlicensed cosmetic practitioners, according to Charles E. Mullen, director of the state board's division of barber shops and beauty parlors.

DISCUSS PLANS FOR FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Preliminary plans for the two-day farmers' institute at Seymour Feb. 23 and 24 were discussed at a meeting of a committee of the Seymour Equity society at Seymour yesterday. Gus Sell, county agent, attended the meeting. The farm and city committee of the Seymour Kiwanis club, which was represented, pledged its support. Several committee chairman were named tentatively and the group decided that two evening programs would be staged in connection with the institute with the first evening being devoted to presentation by school children and young folks and the second evening given over to adults and parent teachers associations.

GETS PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING DIPLOMA

Mrs. Josephine Verstegen, 1049 E. Pacific-st, is among the 38 graduate nurses who are completing the public health nursing course of the Wisconsin anti-tuberculosis association tomorrow at Milwaukee. Mrs. Verstegen is a graduate of Michael Reese hospital, Chicago. She will return to Milwaukee after the holidays for another months' study.

Among members of the class are Louise Crowley, Marquette, Mich.; Lucille Jahn, Oshkosh; Jeanette Kappers, Eau Claire; Florence Metzen, Oshkosh; Mrs. Mae Quan, Albany; Mary Reilly, Janesville; and Lillian Sandvig, Spring Valley.

Mrs. Richard Wheeler, 720 W. Oklahoma-st, was taken to St. Elizabeth hospital Monday to undergo a serious operation.

NEW FUND BILL FOR 10 MILLION UP IN SENATE

Upper House to Act Tuesday on Compromise Offered by Polakowski

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no provision for a $5,000,000 forestry project to aid unemployed single persons nor any provision for about $5,000,000 in refunds of taxes on general property.

The distribution of the $17,000,000 under the administration measure was: $6,000,000 to localities, plus a $1,000,000 free fund to aid particularly distressed communities; $5,000,000 for forestry and around $5,000,000 for general property tax refunds.

Distribution Method

Distribution under the Polakowski subsittute gives the entire $10,000,000 to local governments. Nine millions would be advanced from the general fund, which would be reimbursed by the income surtaxes, and this money would be administered on the basis of increases in local relief expenditures from 1928 to 1931. A similar plan of allocation was contained in the governor's bill.

The remaining $1,000,000 under the Polakowski subsutute would come from the generals funds and be paid to those localities whose 1932 relief expenditures exceed their share of the $9,000,000 appropriation.

The state tax commission is required under the Polakowski bill to determine how much the counties, cities, village and towns increased their relief expenses from 1928 to 1931. The localities would receive their money by filing application with the secretary of state accompanied by a certificate from the tax commission.

The fate of the Polakowski bill probably hinges to some extent on what Senator Philip E. Nelson, Maple independent, does about it and whether the Progressives will abandon the governor's plan and lineup behind it.

Fourteen Republican regulars and three independents in the senate have gone on record for the Nelson $6,000,000 bill but Nelson has gone back to Douglas-co to talk the matter over with his constituents. With the full support of the Progressives and Polakowski he has the power to bring about a tie vote with Lieut. Gov. Henry Huber, a Progressive, can break or he can go along with the Conservative and other independents and establish a majority.

MERCURY RISES TO 43 DEGREES ABOVE

Ground Covered With Snow Last Year—Low Temperatures Recorded

The mercury crept higher Wednesday morning and probably established a new high December record for recent years, according to George Allanson, lock tender and official weatherman for this district. At 6 o'clock this morning the mercury registered 41 degrees above zero, and at noon it registered 43 degrees above.

A year ago Wednesday morning the mercury registered 6 degrees above zero, and on the same day in 1929 it fell below the zero mark, it is reported. At noon on Dec. 23, 1930, the mercury was 23 degrees above.

Approximately 3.5 inches of snow covered the landscape on Dec. 23 last year. Snow fell on eight different occasion in December last year, compared to only one so far this month. Approximately three inches fell two weeks, ago, but it disappeared in two days when the mercury rose.

Uncertain weather is on the menu for the next 24 hours. Skies will be cloudy and there will be no change in temperature, the weatherman says. Winds are shifting in the east.

WITHHOLD DECISION IN SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Following the completion of testimony in a divorce action brought by Mrs. Jennie Feavel, 48, Appleton, against her husband, Ernest H. Feavel, 49, Appleton, in municipal court before Judge Theodore Berg yesterday afternoon the case was taken under advisement by the judge. Mrs. Feavel charged cruel and inhuman treatment and non-support and in a counterclaim filed by Mr. Feavel he charged cruel and inhuman treatment. The case opened yesterday morning.

POLICE WARNED ABOUT COUNTERFEIT WORKER

Police here today issued a warning to merchants to watch for a woman, between 45 and 50 years of age, who is passing $50 counterfeit bills. The woman passed two of the bills on chain stores in Antigo this morning and Antigo police telephoned a warning here saying the woman had started south and might try to pass the bills in Appleton. She is about five feet, four to six inches tall; has a medium dark complexion and dark hair; weighs between 145 and 150 pounds; and was wearing a dark brown or black coat and a small dark hat. She speaks very good English.

BIRTHS

A son was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fischer, route 4, Seymour, at St. Elizabeth hospital.

Hoover Grandchildren Are Hosts At "Giving Party"

Washington— (AP)— Tackling the biggest social task of their careers today were Peggy Ann and Peter Hoover, White House grandchildren whose combined years total nine.

They were host and hostesses in their own right at the first of the executive mansion's Christmas parties—a "giving" party to which 250 youngsters from social Washington were invited this afternoon to bring gifts for distribution to the more needy.

Not that grown-ups won't be present. They will. But contrary to the practice in the past, most of the children will come without the parents, nurses or chauffeurs who usually accompany them.

The two little Hoovers awoke today, whether they knew it or not, the ultimate possessors of as many toys as two little tots could wish for. Their grandfather, President Hoover helped select them himself in an unexpected shopping trip into crowded downtown Washington yesterday afternoon.

Despite jostling crowds that often separated him from his two sons, Alan and Herbert, Jr., and the latter's wife, the chief executive forged not only into the bigger department stores, but into a "five and ten" as well.

When the party finally turned White House-ward again the secret service automobile that followed was piled high with materials for a happier Christmas for Peggy Ann and Peter.

Among other things there were roller skates for the two of them, a toy airplane and tractor and marbles for the boy; two dolls, a real electric kitchen range and utensils and a tea set for the girl.

DEATHS

MRS. ULRICLA MANTEUFEL

Mrs. Ulricla Manteufel, 73, died Tuesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Otto Butt, route 2, Appleton, after a lingering illness. Born in Germany in 1859, she came to America in 1877. She was married to Gustave Manteufel in Winchester in 1882. Survivors are four daughters, Mrs. John Kluess, Appleton; Mrs. Frank Laudon, Mrs. Butt and Mrs. Harry Nieman, Greenville; three sons, Henry of Denmark, Charles of Appleton, and Fredrick of Gaylord, Minn.; two sisters and 27 grandchildren. The funeral will be held at 1:15 Saturday afternoon from the Butt home, with services at 1:30 at the Greenville Lutheran church. The Rev. Leonard Kasper will be in charge, and burial will be in the Greenville Lutheran cemetery.

MRS. GEORGE FORSTER

Mrs. George Forster, 37, died Wednesday morning at her home, 917 W. Oklahoma-st, after a short illness. She was born in Green Bay and was a member of the Reformed church. Survivors are the widower; mother, Mrs. Bertha Kraft, Green Bay; five sisters, Mrs. Steve Meidem, West Allis; Mrs. George Kurt, Kenton, Ohio; Mrs. John Finnegan, Racine; Mrs. R. A. Beyer, Milwaukee; Mrs. George Morris, Denver, Colo.; four brothers, Herman Kraft, Alaska; Albert of Racine, Emil and William of Green Bay. The body will be taken from the Wichmann Funeral home to the residence late Thursday afternoon. The funeral will be held from the home at 1:30 Saturday afternoon, with services at 2 o'clock at the First Reformed church, corner of Superior and Hancock-sts. The Rev. E. F. Franz will be in charge, and burial will be in Riverside cemetery.

ARNOLD WITTLIN

The funeral of Arnold Wittlin was held at 8:30 Wednesday morning, from the residence, N. Division-st, with services at 9 o'clock at St. Therese church. Burial was in St. Mary cemetery. Bearers were Charles Schmit, Charles Wettengel, William Merkel, William Butler, Joseph Batzler, and R. Winter.

AUGUST FREDRICH

Funeral services for August Fredrich were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his home, 508 N. Durkee-st, with Dr. H. E. Peabody in charge. Burial was in Riverside cemetery. Bearers were John and Charles Fredrich, John, Roy and Clarence Reick and Dr. O. N. Johnson.

JOHN DAYTON WILLARD

John Dayton Willard, 47, son of a former pastor of the Congregational church, died Tuesday in New York. Survivors are the widow and two children, John, Jr., and Luthera, and his mother, all of Amherst, Mass. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at Amherst, with burial there.

MRS. THOMAS H. MARSDEN

Mrs. Thomas H. Marsden, Fennimore, mother of Mrs. Kenneth H. Corbett of this city, died at her home Tuesday following a lingering illness. Mrs. Corbett was called to the home of her mother last Friday. The funeral probably will be held Thursday at Fennimore.

RUSSIAN PAPER BLAMES U. S. FOR JAPANESE ACTION

Moscow—(AP)— The newspaper Pravda asserted editorially today that responsibility for the Japanese occupation of Manchuria rests principally with the United States.

The editorial laid the American attitude to the policies of Secretary of States Stimson which it described as directed at weakening Japan, excluding Japanese capital from inner China and at the provocation of conflict between Japan and Soviet Russia.

IKE WALTONS NAME COMMITTEE TO PLAN JANUARY MEETING

Dr. Preston M. Bradley Will Address Conservationists at Chapel

Lawrence Memorial chapel will be the scene of the public mass meeting of Iaak Walton league members from Appleton and the northeastern part of the state and all conservationists when Dr. Preston M. Bradley, Chicago, president of the Izaak Walton league of Ameria, talks in Appleton, Friday evening, Jan. 22. Plans for the meeting were discussed last night at a meeting of Walton directors and officers at Conway hotel.

The committee in charge includes E. W. Shannon, chairman, E. C. Moore, W. R. Challoner, Dr. Max Goeres, H. A. Romberg, Dr. T. L. Knapstein, William Falatick, C. J. Steidl, Henry Pingel, W. T. Fox, E. A. Milhaupt and John Lonsdorf.

Appleton chapter activities for the coming year also were discussed last night. It was decided to adopt tree planting as a major project. A committee will be named soon to direct the work.

There were six bass and trout rearing ponds in the county last summer, the club officers were told. They are located on the following farms: Robert L. Herbst, Anton Bohman two ponds, Burr Ellis, Henry Probst, and E. W. Shannon. Several more sites have been suggested and they probably will be used next summer. Black bass and trout again will be raised.

The club pond committee is composed of Dr. T. L. Knapstein, Henry Pingel, C. J. Steidl, and H. A. Romberg.

SANTA APPEARS AT ROTARY CLUB MEETING

A Christmas program with A. H. Wickesberg as Santa Claus, was given at the meeting of Rotary club at Hotel Northern Tuesday noon by the stunt committee. Members of the committee who took part were Elmer Jennings, chairman, Gerald Galpin, and Carleton Saecker.

OPTIMISTS WON'T MEET THIS WEEK

There will be no meeting of the Optimist club Thursday noon, according to Ben Cherkasky, secretary. The club suspended its meeting this week.

Chiropractic Health Society

Questions pertaining to your health will be answered if addressed to Chiropractic Health Society.

Because the work of the Chiropractor is confined to the spine only, many people have the idea that it is of value only in cases of nervous disorders, and results cannot be obtained in diseases which do not appear to be of nervous origin; very few realize that practically every disease of the human body is the result of an inability of the nerve trunks to properly carry vital forces from the brain to the tissues which are diseased. All tissue cells of the body, regardless of whether they are in the form of a stomach, liver, appendix or any other organ of the body, is dependant upon the vital forces which are transmitted to it over the nervous system. Health can be restored to these tissues by removing the interference which is causing the inability of the nerves to carry on their function. The Chiropractor has been trained to locate the places of nerve interference in the spine and to adjust the subluxated vertebrae to normal alignment and health will follow.

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FINANCE PLAN TO BE PASSED BY CONGRESS

Democrats Argue Changes but Ultimately Will Give Measure Support

BY DAVID LAWRENCE

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Washington — Changes in the pending bill providing for a reconstruction finance corporation are being discussed by Democrats but generally they have assured their Republican colleagues that the measure ultimately will have their support.

The principal suggestions thus far emanating from Democratic sources are these:

First, a personnel of seven members instead of four as provided in the Walcott-Young bill.

Second, an issue of two billions of bonds instead of 500,000,000 in government bonds and $1,500,000,000 in debentures.

Third, that if the debenture provision is retained the debentures shall not be eligible for rediscount at the federal reserve banks.

Each of these objections has been taken up by proponents of the measure. The idea that the personnel shall be increased has met with favor on the Republican side and the probabilities are that the directors of the proposed corporation will consist of the undersecretary of the treasury, the farm loan commissioner and the governor of the federal reserve board and four directors outside the government service. It is assumed that at least three of these will be Democrats.

Baruch Considered

Bernard M. Baruch of New York, chairman of the war industries board during war-time, is being mentioned as one of these, as is also Angus McLean, former governor of North Carolina, who was one of the directors of the War Finance corporation, after which the reconstruction finance corporation is patterned.

There is talk also of decentralizing the proposed corporation so that it would have from five to twelve branches in different sections of the country and it may be that the directors would be chosen with a geographical point of view. None of this has been settled but it indicates the trend of the discussion.

The main questions at issue relate to the method of raising the necessary funds. Officials argue that it would complicate the public debt and bookkeeping of the government to add an issue of government bonds, whereas the sale of debentures could be carried on as a separate transaction, much the same as debentures are sold in connection with the farm land banks.

Some of those who favor a government bond issue say this would immediately dispose of the question of eligibility for rediscount since government bonds are automatically eligible for use as collateral at federal reserve banks.

Debentures Favored

The sale of debentures, however, as it presents least complications and as for eligibility for rediscount at the federal reserve it is hardly thought likely this point will be insisted upon by the Republicans.

In view of the fact that the debentures would be guaranteed by the treasury it is argued that they will sell as rapidly as a government bond. They probably will be issued for short series and will be covered by collateral requiring self-liquidation in terms of from one to five years.

Already there has been some criticism expressed as to the provisions permitting direct loans to railroads. This feature may come in for considerable debate but ultimately it will be passed with some limitations. The objection to the railroad financing is that it makes of that group a special class. In answer to this, officials who favor the bill say the railroads are regulated by the government as to their income and are forced to undergo governmental procedure in respect to wage reductions, hence there is a moral responsibility in resting upon the government to aid in financing the roads. It is taken for granted here that no loans will be made from the reconstruction finance corporation to railroads unless the railroad credit corporation now being set up to accumulate the income from the recently increased freight rates proves unable to take care of the needs of the roads requiring financial help.

The reconstruction finance corporation is one of the most comprehensive pieces of economic legislation suggested since the war and vigorous efforts are being made to get an early agreement so that prompt passage will follow in the senate first and later in the house immediately after the holiday recess is over.

Your Birthday

WHAT TOMORROW MEANS TO YOU

"Capricorn"

If December 24th is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:30 a. m. to 11:45 a. m., from 4 p. m. to 5:15 p. m. and from 8 p. m. to 9:39 p. m. The danger periods are from 7:40 a. m. to 9 a. m. and from 10 p. m. to 11:20 p. m.

For the young and romantic-minded, this December 24th is pictured in bright colors, from astrological delineations. The stern business man, or serious student, will find a drab time. Travel is to be recommended, as there will be a very small element of risk attached to it.

Children born on this December 24th will have strong common sense, and will be firm in their ideas and opinions They will have aristocratic and refined tastes, and will display phases of snobbishness. In a business way, they will prove a success; socially, they will not be general favorites because of their reserve and standoffishness.

The inner nature or destiny of above sign (Capricorn) is Service, and you, if born December 24th, are a true Capricornian in this respect. The desire within you for power is strong, and there is more force than persuation in your disposition. Your will is liable to change, but generally effects its object at all hazards. Caution and prudence mark your actions, but when a course is decided upon, you are very persistent. You have a good sense of ways and means, and are apt in the use of them. Although you are very self-reliant in the business end of life, you are always more or less self-conscious. You would suffer too much from "stage fright" to ever make a success in public positions.

Despondency is something against which you will have to fight. Your low spirits and out of luck feelings are usually traceable to melancholic fancies. Most of your ill health will be brought on by worry and "nerves." Your affections are sincere, but frequently subject to change, due to destiny more than inclination. More than one marriage is a probability. A change of scenery always does you good, and is reviving to your spirits. Your horoscropical picture shows more successes than failures in your life, but perpetual happiness will be out of the reach of one of your temperament.

Successful People Born December 24th

1. Henry Russell, song composer.
2. William Frederick Poole, librarian.
3. Charles Wakefield Cadman, composer.
4. Francis Rufus Bellamy, author.
5. Ruth Chatterton, film actress.

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STATE HIGH SCHOOLS LIKE GRID INSURANCE

50 Cases of Broken Teeth Lead List of Early Claims Against Fund

Milwaukee—(AP)—Schools of Wisconsin are practically unanimous in their support of the athletic accident benefit plan, reports from the December bulletin of the Wisconsin Interscholastic association indicate.

The Association's board of control points out that 133 benefit requests were received from schools in more than 90 cities towns and villages between Oct. 20 and Nov. 24.

The benefit plan was inaugurated Sept. 1, 1930.

The board said at its Dec. 5 meeting it considered as many of the first 250 requests as were complete. It said more work remains to be done before the plan is on an adequate and just financial basis, and that with the assistance of the schools and the state insurance department, it expects to develop complete and satisfactory protection with a fair distribution of the cost.

Broken teeth, totaling 50 cases, led the list of injuries for benefit requests between Oct. 20 and Nov. 24. Broken noses were second with 21 cases and broken bones in hands or feet were third with 17.

Broken arms totaled 13, collar bone injuries, 10, and broken legs, 9. There was one case each of broken neck, spine injury, eye injury, concussion of the brain, broken jaw, broken wrist, broken rib, broken ankle and dislocated elbow.

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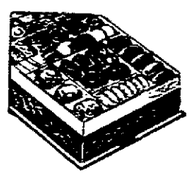

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Magazine Baskets	$1.50 to $7.50
Occasional Tables	$9.75 to $27
Domestic Oriental Rugs, 18x34	$5.75
Gladstone Bags	$12.75 to $25
Oval Rugs	$4.45 and up
Coffee Tables	$8.50 to $25
Pier Cabinets	$6.75 to $20
Davenport Suites	$87 to $375
Lounging Chairs	$22.75 to $87
Telephone Sets	$7.50 to $24
Humidors	$4.50 to $28
End Tables	$2.75 to $18
Sewing Cabinets	$4.50 to $22.50
Gate Leg Tables	$16.50 to $36
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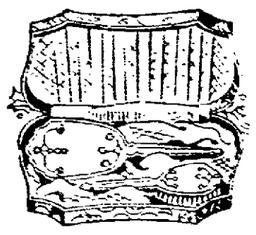

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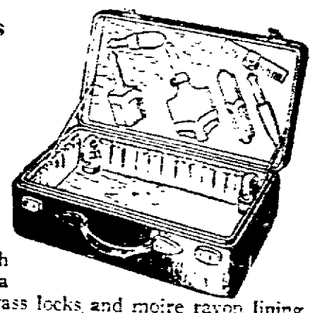

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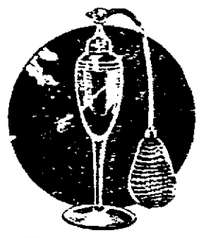

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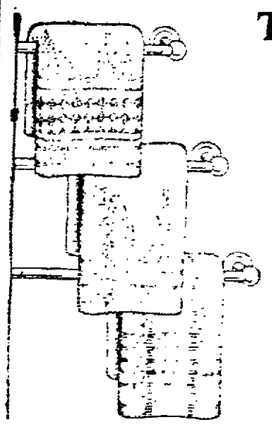

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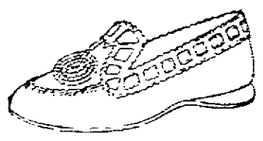

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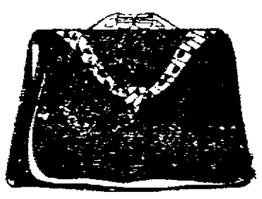

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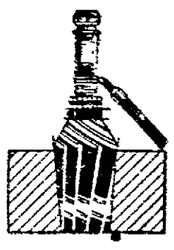

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HITLER

In order to court public favor men very often say things they can hardly believe to be true. But as a responsibility approaches they invariably become more sober. The truth of these statements is demonstrated by watching the maneuvers of one Adolph Hitler, pupil of Mussolini and leader of what appears to be now the strongest political group in Germany.

Herr Hitler is denouncing illegal methods, spurning the idea of marching on Berlin as Signor Benito did on Rome. Yet this is the same Hitler who once talked of violence and of "heads rolling in the basket."

Power is apparently coming nearer and nearer to Hitler. Better is it by far that it come without force or extra-legal methods. It is not always so simple to forcibly seize power and then a moment thereafter preach the necessity of order to the multitude. In the last analysis Herr Adolph must realize that what Germany needs most is order, in fact that without order no civilized government can long endure.

His method of reasoning may be found in a recent statement. "Suppose," said he, "that an army beleaguers a fortress and knows that the enemy will shortly surrender from starvation, would it not be arrant nonsense to organize a storm attack?" Herr Hitler reasons well, but can he think in no other terms than armies, enemies and storm attacks?

While declining to reveal his economic program, if he has one, he was quick to declare that Germany under him would pay its debts like a man. Even the crudest politician has seemed to learn of the terrible heritage to posterity left by a generation that repudiates its honest obligations.

But no, he will not divulge his plans to anyone. It is sufficient that he will, he says, "restore to the German people work, bread and last, but not least, honor." This may look like fine rhetoric but in truth it is a correct diagnosis of a race. Bread is essential, it is true, and the work of course helps one earn it. Without bread life cannot be maintained. But without honor it cannot be happy. And if honor is not a first essential it is a very important ingredient of national life.

Meanwhile, LeTemps, Paris, declares that if Hitler gains power in Germany "such an event would constitute the most dangerous adventure for the peace of the world that could be imagined."

Somehow that does not seem to necessarily follow. Sympathetic feelings of the world are going out to Germany whether justly or otherwise. They cannot be kept flowing to a country that has such an immense gold reserve as either France or the United States. But lack of all the sympathy is a conviction that Germany should not be compelled to feel the insignificance, forced on a proud and powerful race, that comes from viewing grand armies on all sides with itself shorn of strength. That is a condition that simply cannot long endure, with or without Hitler.

40,000 SPEAKEASIES

Seven years ago New York's police commissioner, after a careful survey of his territory, announced that 32,000 speakeasies were in operation there. At the same time he declared that he was concerned in seeing that they did not dish out poisons, in other words sold good liquor.

Recognition of the futility of attempting to close them was possible only because of public opinion's hostile attitude toward prohibition.

The recent evidence taken under the direction of Judge Seabury before the Hoistaedter committee, shows that the police commissioner's estimate was a mild one and that nearer to 40,000 speakeasies are in constant operation.

The evidence also shows that they pay an average of about $50 a week for protection, just a matter of the plainest sort of corruption. That makes over 100 million dollars a year, of which the public gets nothing.

Few spots in the country have a Hofstaedter committee or a Judge Seabury digging out and exposing evidence. But where shall a community be found without speakeasies?

Indeed, where shall we find a community that hasn't more speakeasies than it has saloons under the old order?

Yet good people keep going around in a circle shutting their eyes to these grievous facts and stubbornly persisting that there must be no let-up in the prohibition laws.

SMASHING THE ATOM

Science has at last smashed the atom. There has long been a popular suspicion that the atom, a self-contained universe with electrons traveling about therein at high speed, contained so much energy that, if released and harnessed to man's use, things would become so easy to do that the world's population would be in danger of becoming loafers.

There has been so much talk about its terrific energy that many lay minds could envisage nothing but a catastrophe to those in the atom's immediate vicinity when it let go.

Science though, unafraid, has tackled the job of breaking up the atom, ever alert to discover its secrets. It was definitely known that a powerful weapon was required to scatter the electrons out of their atomic shell. The recent demonstration of a machine capable of accumulating an electric charge of 1,500,000 volts or more gave hope that the bombardment of the atom by the sudden discharge of this high voltage would accomplish the feat.

But Professor Robert Millikan, the eminent California physicist, has just announced his success in smashing the atom by the use of his own important discovery, the "cosmic" or alpha ray—the most powerful and penetrating ray now known to science.

"It requires ordinarily two and one-half million volts to disintegrate a nucleus," says Professor Millikan. "As the cosmic ray attains a voltage of from one to three million volts, the bombardment of an atom with this ray becomes a simple matter. The effect of this bombardment is to scatter the electrons at about the speed of light or 186,000 miles a second."

So, the atom has been smashed and the world still lives to continue its ways of drudgery. The layman will take the distinguished physicist's word for the accuracy of his scientific conclusion, but he may be pardoned for a wager that the electron, in getting across the diameter of an invisible atom at the rate of 186,000 miles a second, would finish the race before old man Time had started.

A NEW KEY INDUSTRY

Steel has been replaced as the key industry in the economic structure of the nation. The Department of Commerce finds that first rank must now be given to those combinations of business which have to do with the upkeep and operation of motor vehicles. Nearly eight billions of dollars are spent yearly for this purpose by the people of the United States.

A better idea of the size of this particular line of business may be had by comparison with the fifty-five billion dollars expended in the retail trade out of a total national income of approximately eighty-five billions.

Keeping our motor cars running, therefore, requires nearly one-seventh of our daily purchases, or about one-tenth of the money we earn.

So that the state of business in this country is not only indicated very definitely by the condition in this particular industry, but is in a large measure dependent upon it.

The remarkable development of this business within the short period of twenty-five years demonstrates the wonderful potential possibilities for industrial development within the United States and gives proof of recuperative powers beyond measure in our future business progress.

If our research laboratories and industrial engineers develop another industry (not an unreasonable possibility) which might progress to the key position within the next thirty years, our prosperity would equal any that we have seen heretofore.

The longest stretch of railway in the world is from Riga to Vladivostok, which runs over 6,800 miles.

Hemp, said to be the oldest cultivated fibre in the world, was grown in China as early at 2800 B. C.

A Japanese legend has it that music was devised by the gods to lure the sun-goddess from a cave where she had retired.

ARE WE ever unhappy! . . . up until noon yesterday we HADN'T RECEIVED A CHRISTMAS CARD! . . . nosir, not one single Christmas card . . . s'matter, are we forgotten or are people getting smart this year and not sending 'em? . . . but just the same, it makes us mad . . . from the way people have been talking, we thought we were going to get a Christmas card in place of a present . . . now it looks like we get left . . . can't understand it . . . what if we DIDN'T send any of 'em last year? . . . and aren't gonna send any this year? . . . what of it? . . . they shouldn't let a little thing like THAT stand in the way . . . on the other hand, we guess we don't want any Christmas cards . . . why don't all the people who sent us Christmas cards last year get together and buy us a necktie with the money? . . . "why", we hear a gentle voice asking, "don't you shut up?" . . . awright . . .

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There's something about a bunch of kids in choir costumes singing Christmas Carols in a business place which seems to tug hard at the hearts of everyone who hears 'em. Waiting for an elevator Monday afternoon, we saw people soften up. Even our own hard heart softened. Great season—this.

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Just in case you didn't know about it, Winter officially began yesterday. And if you could see anything through the fog, mist and general April conditions, you may also have noticed that it was the shortest day of the year.

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Incidentally and contrary to popular rumors, yesterday was not made shorter because everything else is being cut down during the depression. That shortest day business, Tillie, has been going on and on, for centuries.

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AN OPEN LETTER TO SANTA CLAUS

Mr. S. Claus,
North Pole.
Dear Mr. Claus:

Not that we thought you had forgotten us or anything. (We know you wouldn't do that.) But we wish you would be a bit more careful this year. First of all, would you please remind Aunt Minnie that her last year's necktie was the only one in the world worse than the one she sent us the year before. And tell Uncle Cornelius that we are of age now and don't need another of the Rover Boys books. He's been forgetting for years. Aside from that, we look forward to Christmas with pleasure. We're running low on handkerchiefs anyway.

Yrs.

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Ten Christmas cards just came. What to do. What to do.

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Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

GREETING TO ONE AND ALL

May your Christmas merry be
In spite of wind and weather.
May your happy family
Spend the day together.

May the old home ring again
With merriment and laughter,
Safe shut from all the cares of men
And all that waits hereafter.

God grant you'll turn your back upon
All wrongs that breed resentment
And make this Christmas morning one
Of loving and contentment.

And may the spirit of the day
Encourage and restore you,
And set you singing on the way
Which stretches out before you.

The gift of health for you I pray,
The gift of strength for duty,
And that high faith of Christmas Day
Which graces life with beauty.

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Looking Backward

TEN YEARS AGO
Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1921

Six men were under indictment that day in Chicago in connection with the alleged plot which resulted in liberation from the county jail of Tommy O'Connor, under death sentence.

Winter arrived in Appleton that day on the crest of the coldest wave of the season, thermometers registering from 4 to 15 degrees below zero.

The Misses Winifred Dohearty and Bernice Adsit returned the previous day from a few days' visit in Chicago.

Miss Madge Herrick had arrived home from Madison to spend her holiday vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Herrick.

William Buchanan, who was attending one of the eastern colleges, was spending his holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Buchanan.

Justin Wells, who was attending the University of Pennsylvania, was spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mary J. Wells.

George Krueger who had been visiting for three weeks in Cassville, Lancaster, Illinois, Iowa and Minnesota, returned the previous Monday evening to his home in Appleton.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Wednesday, Dec. 26, 1906

A pipe organ had been ordered for the Lawrence university school of music and was to be installed after the first of the year.

Marriage licenses had been issued to the following persons: Charles Komp and Frances A. Krueger, both of Appleton; Clara Hilfert, Appleton, and William H. Peck, Milwaukee; Robert J. R. Moore and Alvina Kositzke, both of Appleton; Isaac Young and Eva Bessett.

Miss Anna M. Melzer, Appleton, and Charles W. Ehrke, Fort Atkinson, were married the previous Monday afternoon at the home of the Rev. Theodore Marth.

N. Herrmann, Jr., returned that morning from a week's business trip to Indian Territory.

Hugo Kuehmsted was here from the Black Hills to spend a week at the home of his mother.

Miss Mabel Kuehmsted, a teacher in the public schools at Tomahawk, was home to spend the Christmas vacation with her mother on Lawe-st.

Charles and James Green were in Appleton to spend Christmas at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kox were in Green Bay the previous day to spend Christmas at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ligot.

Austria is planning to build an automobile highway across the Grossglockner range, where it will rise to an elevation of 8,200 feet to connect the provinces of Carinthia and Salzburg.

A SMOKY CHIMNEY FOR SANTA

Personal Health Talks

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.
Noted Physician and Author

IF PNEUMONIA GERMS WERE AS LARGE AS FLIES

It is too bad our eyes lack microscopic power. What a difference it would make in the attitude of many who purport to be intelligent if pneumonia germs were as visible to the eye as are ordinary house flies or misquitoes.

Somewhere in Wisconsin a former patient sued a doctor for damages, claiming that because the doctor had failed to see that the patient was kept warm enough the patient had taken a chill and developed pneumonia. The court held that insufficient bed covers or insufficient clothing, or insufficient artificial warmth of one kind or another, was the cause of the pneumonia or at least a predisposing factor, and accordingly mulched the doctor. However, no one has ever proved by experiment that such "exposure" or indeed any degree of exposure to cold or dampness is a predisposing cause or factor of any illness, save only frostbite.

Now if pneumonia germs were as large as flies—

Down in Maine a guest absconded so to speak, from a summer hotel, where he had contracted to remain for a definite period at a stated price. The guest was annoyed and frightened by the plague of flies in the dining-room. So he paid his pro rata share of the bill and beat it. The hotel sued him for the full amount of the bill for the entire period he had contracted to stay. The court held that the guest was entitled to leave before his time was up, and to pay only the proportionate amount of the bill for the period of his sojourn, for the court felt vinced that flies in a dining-room are a nuisance and a menace to the health of guests.

If pneumonia germs were as large as flies, that Wisconsin court would have been constrained to let the doctor off with an apology, for despite the lack of covers or comforts the patient would have found it pretty difficult to show that such discomforts attract pneumonia germs.

Lawyers are funny that way. As grubbing attorneys they're dumb enough, but just as soon as you elevate one of them to the bench he assumes a wisdom that is superior to all common sense or reason. In any such trifling problem as this one of the effect of alleged "exposure" the omniscient judge gives great weight to the evidence of his own senses or imagination and thus some weird verdicts are handed down.

Typhoid bacilli are no larger than pneumococci, yet a court has held that a contractor who filed to supply pure drinking water for laborers maintained on the job was responsible for the typhoid fever some of the laborers contracted PRESUMABLY from the polluted drinking water furnished in the camp.

In recent years, since laws or ordinances governing the heating of apartments have been in force some judgments have been obtained in the courts against landlords, not for the discomfort tenants have suffered by reason of insufficient heat, but for fatalities from pneumonia for which the landlord's failure to supply sufficient heat has been blamed. I have no reason to love landlords, but this modern practice of baiting landlords on such ridiculous grounds seems to me just too comical. The courts and the lawyers are perhaps not to blame for their ignorance, but the public health authorities who have permitted such practice ought to be ashamed of themselves.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
Correct Address

Do you think, asks a correspondent who directs a letter to me at a place where I lived 15 years ago, that it would be more convenient for your readers if you gave an address to which they may send their queries?

Answer—That is precisely why we have given the address here thousands of times. Address all letters to Dr. William Brady in care of this newspaper. Another thing which will contribute to the satisfaction of the correspondent—a correct address on the reply envelope. Too many correspondents use some such indefinite address as "City" or "Local," which makes the answer undeliverable.

Pepsin

I am troubled a good deal with indigestion and bloating. I believe pepsin would help me. What form of pepsin do you consider best to take? (R. F.)

Answer—I do not believe pepsin in any form ever does any good.

Responsibility for Typhoid Fever

Please settle an argument. Has any court in this country ever held any corporation or person legally responsible for typhoid fever? I mean has a court ever given a judgment to the victim against the corporation or person for negligence or anything like that? (M. O. W.)

Answer—Yes. The Wisconsin supreme court held a contractor or employer responsible for his failure to provide safe drinking water for his workmen, 15 or 16 years ago. Following a typhoid fever epidemic in Olean, N. Y., two or three years ago, a large number of the victims obtained judgments against the city for failure to protect the municipal water supply against pollution. I believe some other rulings have been based on a similar ground.

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Dr. Brady will answer all signed letters pertaining to health. Writer's names are never printed. Only inquiries of general interest will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Requests for diagnosis or treatment of individual cases cannot be considered. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this paper.

The Tinymites

By Hal Cochran

THE airedale was a master true. He made the ugly bulldog do a lot of clever tricks just by the cracking of a whip. To Clowny he said, "Bring a rope and I will make him jump, I hope. Two of you Tinies swing the rope and then just watch him skip."

Two Tinies perched upon two stands and held the long rope in their hands. And then they started swinging it around and 'round and 'round. The bulldog jumped in perfect form, but shortly said, "I'm getting warm. I've had enough of jumping." Then he hopped off to the ground.

The airedale trainer cried, "Get back upon that stand. You'll get a whack if you dare disobey me. Hurry up, now. Right away!" Poor bulldog! Though he looked real bold, he did just as he had been told. The trainer made him skip a bit, then said, "That's all today."

The Tinies then heard barks galore and Scotty said, "What is in store?" "Some more clowns," answered Coppy. "They are coming down this way. And, look! They're off on quite a lark, and that's what makes the dogs all bark. Let's join right in the fine applause." The whole bunch cried, "Hurray!"

A dunce cap stood on one dog's head. "He looks like Clowny," Carry said. Then Clowny answered, "Is that so? The other looks like you." Wee Scotty looked at them and sighed. "Be quiet, please," he shortly cried. "Just keep your eyes on both those clowns and see what they will do."

One clown dog then performed a treat. He twirled a ball on his hind feet. "That's clever," shouted Scotty. "It's about the best trick yet." Then suddenly, the other hound picked up a pail and whirled it 'round. Some water splashed the first dog until he was soaking wet.

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(Some monkeys do a trapeze act in the next story.)

Whether Japan is muscling in on Manchuria, or China's muscling out isn't clear. In any case it's an awful racket.

Japan's sort of put the lockup on the spot. In fact, Japan doesn't care if there's 20,000 leagues under the sea.

A Bystander In Washington

BY HERBERT PLUMMER

Washington—Capitol hill and more particularly the United States senate, haven't seen the last of "Cotton Tom" Heflin to Alabama yet, if present indications mean anything.

True, another man has his seat in the senate, his suite of offices in the senate office building, and is drawing his pay.

But Heflin still has access to the senate chamber and from the looks of things at present he'll be exercising his privilege to come and go frequently.

There has been a turn in the contest he is waging with Bankhead over the Alabama senatorship. Chairman Hastings of the sub-committee charged with hearing the contest has prepared a report recommending that Blankhead be denied the set because of the alleged irregularities in the election a year ago.

Now, the senate may declare the seat vacant.

A Quieter Heflin

Until the senate actually votes on the proposition, however, Heflin probably will have ample time to move around on the senate floor presenting his case to former colleagues.

At that, it may be a little hard on "Tom." In the place where his voice has thundered so often he must now speak in inaudible tones. Where he has so often jumped in a rough and tumble debate he must now, if attacked, bear it in silence and reply only in statements to the press.

Washington observers are inclined to regard the Heflin-Bankhead contest lightly. As one stated:

"Suppose the senate does declares the seat vacant. It doesn't mean anything. Senator Hastings' report may be construed as a model of civic righteousness and virtue and likewise such action by the senate, but that's all it can mean."

The situation seems to be this: If the seat is declared vacant by the senate, such action doesn't mean that Heflin will be seated. Far from it.

Undaunted

It would mean that the governor of Alabama would have to appoint someone to fill the seat until the next general election could be held.

And the general impression seems to be that John Bankhead would get the appointment with the least possible delay.

Meanwhile Heflin continues as jubilant as ever. He still has an office in the same building where he worked when he was a member of the senate.

It is on the ground floor—No. 106. By virtue of the fact that he filed the election contest, he could claim office space until a decision.

Seen And Heard In New York

BY WILLIAM GAINES

New York—Hors d'oeuvres: Major Edward Bowes, cinema showman, haunts the art auctions seeking choice morsels for his private collections.

Samuel Seabury sang in a church choir as a boy.

Con Conrad, songsmith, once crossed to England in steerage to play in variety.

Vincent Lopez has a middle name, Joseph.

Police Commissioner Mulrooney is a Gilbert and Sullivan fan.

Nick the Greek, the gaming gentleman, really was born in Athens.

Sam H. Harris, the producer, used to manage prize fighters.

W. C. Fields wears a cap.

Curly, said to be the only lioness in captivity with a curly tail, has moved from Central park zoo to Prospect park, Brooklyn.

The frequently tardy Mayor Walker arrived at City hall in plenty of time for the official welcome to Grandi of Italy.

John McCormack, again heard by New Yorkers, made his debut here 20 years ago.

Leslie Frick, mezzo-soprano, really was a social leader in Baltimore and is a favorite entertainer of junior leaguers.

Joys Of Columning

If this seems to be a reflection on the make of typewriter I use, please remember it has given faithful service for lo! these many years.

In the (otherwise) stillness, came a rapping at my door. Then, mysteriously, a note was slipped under it. I opened the door quickly and there in the hallway a lady stood, all abashed. Elderly she was and in decorous nightdress. She vanished without a word as I read the communication:

"Three a. m. between Thursday and Friday.

"Introducing a tired neighbor, two stories above your busy typewriter. Last Thursday night I remember I endured the sound of it until after five and then went out for several hours. This time, however, I would like to get a little nap before the 47th street riveting begins about 8, to destroy the day and I don't feel like walking.

"Of course I sympathize with literary (thanks!) pursuits, but if you must typewrite after 12 at night, can't you manage to muffle the sound a bit?

"Thanks, from one needing sleep."

Now I wonder what she thinks about those cats who have just moved into the neighborhood.

Knocking About

The approach of Christmas has brought out those old men who stand on the curb selling puppies. Sometimes they display a basketful; usually just a couple of shivering frightened little fellows are held in their arms.

The pups are not thoroughbred, of course, but any sort is cute at the age when its eyes are barely open. Crowds congregate about the pup peddlers and there is a round of laughter and much gooing every time the canine infants are allowed to get down on the sidewalk for a stretch.

Delicatessen dealers take in an average of $4 a pound for baked turkey meat, most of it going into sandwiches. The dealer around the corner explains that his customers will accept only the white meat and he can get only about two pounds of it off a bird. Thus the white meat has to make up for the loss on dark meat, wings and so forth.

Today's Anniversary

LOSSES AT SEA

On Dec. 23, 1917, the great snowstorm started on the Italian front blocking the enemy's line of communication not only with Tyrol but also with the bases beyond the Isonzo.

The storm started on Dec. 23 and continued until Dec. 31.

On the western front the Germans drove in the British advanced posts on a 700-yard line northeast of Ypres.

The British admiralty reported that in the week ending Dec. 23 a total of 13 British ships had been sunk by submarines. Eleven of these were over 1600 tons, one was rated as being under 1600 tons, and the thirteenth was a fishing vessel.

This was somewhat less than the loss of the previous week when German submarines sank 18 British ships.

And now it's feared China will force a war on Japan. And, obviously, that Japan will accept it.

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RECALL BIRTH OF CHRIST AT YULE PROGRAMS

Majority of Churches Plan Christmas Gatherings Thursday Night

The age-old story of the birth of the Christ child in the manger at Bethlehem will be the theme of dozens of children's programs in Appleton churches Thursday evening. Several churches held their Christmas programs during the past week, but in the majority of churches Thursday evening there will be huge Christmas trees hung with apples, candy and popcorn balls, visits from red-face Santas, songs, recitations, and nativity pageants by the Sunday School children.

Midnight services will be held at All Saints Episcopal churches and the four Catholic churches, and on Christmas morning there will be both German and English services at the Lutheran and Evangelical churches. Second Christmas morning services will be held in several Lutheran churches, and at All Saints church St. Stephen's day will be observed with a Holy Communion service.

St. Matthew

An English Christmas service, "The Child of Bethlehem," will be given by the Sunday school children of St. Matthew Evengelical Lutheran church Thursday evening. The program will begin at 7 o'clock. The children, who will be assisted by the St. Matthew vested choir, will give individual recitations of Christmas poems, Messianic prophecies and songs.

The opening prelude, "Come Hither, ye Faithful," will be played by Armin E. Albrecht. The following songs will be sung: "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Come Hither, Ye Faithful," "Come and Christ the Lord Be Praising," "Hark the Glad Sound," "All Praise to Jesus' Name," "Oh How Joyfully," "Silent Night," "Calm on the List'ning Ear of Night," "From Heaven Above," and "Kneel Down and Adore Him."

A combined chorus of children and the choir under the direction of Mr. Albrecht will sing "The First Noel." The choir will also sing "The Light of Bethlehem" by Abt. The organ accompanist will be Miss Evelyn Bergman.

St. John Evangelical

The Christmas story will be retold in song and recitation by the children of St. John Evangelical church at a program at 7 o'clock Thursday evening at the church. A pageant, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" will be given by the older children of the Sunday school, assisted by the choir and a number of adults.

The Rev. W. R. Wetzeler will preach on The Angel's Christmas Present to the World, using as his text Luke 2:1-14, at the German service at 10:15 Christmas morning. Special Christmas music will be sung.

All Saints Episcopal

The midnight service at All Saints Episcopal church, which will begin at 11:30, will be offered in a setting of candlelight, with rays of light descending from a huge star suspended from the roof of the church. The combined choirs of the church and the choir school will sing and Dr. L. D. Utts will preach. Adults will sing the offertory anthem, and the senior sections of the choir will sing the Communion service in D flat and "Sing O Heavens."

Holy Communion will be administered at 9 o'clock Christmas morning and at the same time on Saturday, St. Stephen's day.

Zion Lutheran

At Evangelical Lutheran Zion church the parish and Sunday School will present "The Birth of the Christ Child" in "say and song" at 7 o'clock Thursday evening. The choir will sing "Silent Night."

German servies will be held at 6 o'clock and at 10:15 Christmas morning and a special English service at 9 o'clock. The Rev. Theodore Marth, pastor, will preach, the choir will sing "Stille Nacht," "The Message of the Bells," and the children's chorus will present "Song of Joy."

Mount Olive

The children's program at Mount Olive Evangelical church will be held at 7 o'clock Thursday evening. Christmas carols will be sung, questions will be asked and answers given by the children regarding the birth of the Savior. The choir, under the leadership of A. O. Benz will sing, and Russell Wichman, organist, will play "Silent Night, Holy Night" with variations. Gifts will be distributed after the service.

On Friday morning, at 10:15, a special Christmas service will be held. The Rev. R. E. Zesemer will preach on The Birthday of the Savior of the World,' using as his text St. John 1: 1-14.

Trinity English Lutheran

A pageant, "The Lights of Christmas" will be a part of the program at Trinity English Lutheran church, which will start at 7:30 Thursday evening. The program follows:

Hymn, "Come Hither Ye Faithful."

Opening Service and Psalm 98.

Hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

Recitations of Welcome—Elmer Bosserman and Virginia Hedberg.

Group of Songs—"Away in the Manger," "There's a Star in the Sky," and "Little Children Can You Tell."

Hymn, "Come and Hear the Grand Old Story."

Presentation of questions and answers by primary department.

Dramatization, "Once a Golden Star," Doris Babcock, soloist.

Song, "This Candle."

Recitations.

Song, "Oh, Christmas Tree."

Hymn, "Joy to the World."

Presentation, "The Star of Christmas."

Pageant, "The Light of Christmas."

Guitar Solo by Jean Luebben.

Recitation.

Hymn, "Silent Night, Holy Night."

Benediction.

Distribution of Christmas treat.

The order of worship for the Christmas day service, at 7 o'clock Friday morning is:

Organ prelude, "Gesu Bambino."

Processional hymn, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing."

Matin service.

Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Psalm No. 2.

Epistle.

Anthem, "We Three Kings of Orient Are." Junior Choir.

Gospel.

Hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

Sermon.

Offertory, anthem, "The Birthday of the King," senior choir.

Prayer.

Hymn, "Silent Night, Holy Night."

Benediction.

Recessional Hymn, "Come Hither Ye Faithful."

Emmanuel Evangelical

The Emmanuel Evangelical program will be given at 7:30 Thursday evening, under the direction of Mrs. Raymond Saiberlich. It will include:

Processional, Marion Uebele.

Song, Congregation, "Silent Night."

Scripture and prayer, Rev. G. H. Blum.

Song, choir, "The Silent, Holy Night."

"A Christmas Wish," Marion Schulze.

"Welcome," eight primary children.

"Christmas Bells," beginner children.

Song, children, "The Little Lord Jesus."

"When Jesus Came," Mary and James Olfson.

Song, children, "Long Ago on Christmas Day."

"A Merry Christmas," Jerome [illegible].

Play, "The Christmas Story," Virginia Griswold, given by juniors and intermediates. Scene one, "Shepherds in the Field," quartet, "Prepare Ye the Way," Mrs. N. Zylstra, Rosetta Selig, Robert Potter, and Arthur Erdman; scene two, Court of Herod," violin solo, Brian Gibson; scene three, "Market-place in Bethlehem; scene four, "Adoration at the Manger," choir, "Mary's Slumber Song," solo by Mrs. Dorman, quartet, "Glory to God in the Highest."

Offering and white gift.

Cradle roll presentation.

Benediction.

First Reformed

The Christmas eve program at First Reformed church will start at 7:15. The two part program follows:

Part I

Prelude, Helen Meyer.

Processional, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Sunday school.

Joy to the World, Audience.

Prayer, Rev. E. F. Franz.

Welcome, Corrine Engel.

"The Manger," Doris Felzer.

"I am Always Very Happy," Elroy Hanstedt.

"Little Christmas Gifts," Joyce Honig.

"Silent Night," Male Quartett.

"Bethlehem Star," Irene Thompson.

"Christmas," Robert Meade.

"Christmas Day," Edward Klundt.

"He Gave us Jesus," Ellen Woehler.

"Star of the East," violin solo, Ione Felzer.

"The Best Tree," Robert Thiel.

"Christmas Song," Joe Smith.

"December," Junior Peter.

"Christmas Day," Roger Thiel.

"The Heavenly King," E. L. Ashford.

Solo, Merlin P[illegible].

"Day of Cheer," Allen Smith.

"A Secret," Junior Hanstedt.

"The Christmas Spirit," L[illegible] Schauer.

"The Best Gift," Vern Meade.

"The Way of the Cross," A. S[illegible]man.

Instrumental Duet, Gerald and Norbert Franz.

"Peace on Earth," Ione Felzer.

"Star Beams," Mabel Klundt.

"What I can S[illegible]," [illegible] Engel.

"A Wish," W[illegible].

"My Gift," G[illegible] W[illegible].

"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," George [illegible].

Male quartet.

"Why do Bells of Christmas Ring?" Clarence Klundt.

"God is a Kind Loving Father," Gloria Engel.

"I Love to Hear the Christmas Bells," Ralph Whoeler.

"Our Offering," Wm. Thompson.

Part II

"As With Gladness Men of Old," audience.

Pageant, Nativity, young people.

Offering for Orphans Home.

"O Come All Ye Faithful," audience.

Distribution of gifts.

Benediction.

German [illegible] Christmas Day.

First Baptist

[illegible]

boy, Tgnve Johnson; Norwegian girl, Ida Payzant; American girl, Lois Gillette; American boy, Carlton Babb.

"Rejoice and Sing," Junior choir.

St. Paul

The three-part Christmas program at St. Paul Lutheran church will start at 7:30 Thursday evening. The program follows

Part One

Prelude.

Hymn by congregation.

Responsive reading of Scripture.

Confession of Faith by congregation.

Anthem by choir "O Wondrous Night."

Address of welcome [illegible] pupils.

Part Two

[illegible]

"The Shepherds," Luke 2: 15-20.

Hymn by seventh grade.

Part Three—German

Recitation, "Christmas Joy," seventh grade.

Christmas hymn, eighth grade.

Hymn by school, "Ihr Kinderlein."

Hymn, "Silent Night," eighth grade.

Recitation "A Christmas Prayer."

Hymn by school "O Holy Night."

Hymn by congregation, "Let the [illegible] Now Praise the Lord."

[illegible]

"PIN" IS BULLET

[illegible]

colored. Thinking it was caused by a pin he had swallowed some time before, he went to General hospital to have it removed. X-ray pictures revealed that it was a bullet. Graham remembered being shot accidentally when a child but thought the bullet had been removed then.

Chiffon handkerchiefs, tied to the waist and long enough to reach almost to the ground promise to be an [illegible] fashion in London this winter.

Christmas Quadruplets' Birthday

Four of a kind, healthy and happy and ready to celebrate their eighth birthday an Christmas Day are the quadruplets of Mr. and Mrs. William Mahaney of St. John, N. B., shown at the top in a new photo. Left to right are Edna Louise John D., Lydia Christine and Edith May. They also have six brothers and sisters, and were bottle babies. Compare them now with their earlier pictures, also shown.

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D. A. R. Will Hold Annual Yule Party

THE annual Christmas party of Appleton chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Carrie Morgan, 100 N. Green Bay-st. Officers of the chapter will act as assistant hostesses.

Dr. Louis Baker, instructor in romance languages at Lawrence college, will give a talk on his impression of the political situation in Europe. He recently spent a year abroad. Mrs. F. G. Wheeler will read a Christmas story. A short business session will precede the program.

The board of management will meet at 2:30, before the chapter meeting.

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Various clubs, organizations, and individuals responded generously to the appeal of the American Legion for toys for needy children for Christmas and as a result the Legion will have more toys than are needed to supply their charges. The articles which are not needed will be turned over to other organizations.

The industrial arts class of Appleton high school, under the direction of Harry Cameron, met at the school Monday night and constructed 25 toy ducks for the Legion. One hundred eighteen children of ex-service men are being provided with toys, and about 40 families are being supplied with Christmas baskets.

YOUNG PEOPLE OF CHURCH IN HOLIDAY PLAY

The young people of Memorial Presbyterian presented a play, "The First Christmas," at the Sunday morning service at the church. The entire cast was letter-perfect in lines, and each took his part in a capable manner.

Jean Shannon as Mary and George Ballard as Joseph did exceptionally well, as did Howard Haferbecker as one of the wise men. The children of Bethlehem took their parts creditably. A stable setting was used for the manger scene. The star, which hovered over the scene in a realistic manner, was constructed by Joseph Pollard.

James Archie, Fond du Lac, tenor, song two solos, and the choir sang in the loft for the first time. Miss Annette Post sang a lullaby.

Others who took part in the play were William Ogilvie, Billy Stark, Henry Johnson, Perry Pollard, Bob Meyer, Alden Hensel, Edmund Marty, Dorothy Ogilvie, Bobby Bohn, James Hensel, Diana Caramehas, Betty Jane Baseman, Edwarda Abel. The coaching staff included Mrs. E. F. Mielke, Miss Meredith Bandy, and Miss Elizabeth Verhey.

Those who took part in other phases of the service were W. A. Fannon, Harold Heller, Helen Garrison, Beatrice Meyer, Doris Everson, Elizabeth Verhey, Helen Stark, and the Rev. R. A. Garrison.

PARTIES

Mrs. Henry Miller entertained the Four Leaf Clover club at a 1 o'clock luncheon Tuesday at the Amber Tea room. Covers were laid for eight persons. Prizes at bridge which followed the luncheon were won by Mrs. J. Hombiette, Mrs. P. Neuman, and Mrs. Charles Selig. Mrs. Miller will leave soon for Hot Springs, Ark., where she will spend the winter.

The club will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Herman Selig, E. John-st.

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Mrs. Frank Breuer, W. Franklin-st, entertained the Five Hundred club Tuesday evening at a Christmas party at her home. Prizes at cards were won by Mrs. Chet Heinritz and Mrs. Peter Lanser. Gifts were exchanged. The next meeting will be next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jake Moder, W. College-ave.

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The Bea Zey club was entertained at a Christmas party Tuesday night at Conway hotel. A 6:30 dinner was served in the Green room, after which bridge was played. Prizes were won by Miss Stella Murray and Miss Signe Winnerstrand. Gifts were exchanged. The next meeting will be in two weeks with Miss Katherine Killoren, W. Franklin-st.

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Mrs. Leo Schreiter, 1352 W. Lawrence-st, entertained at a Christmas party Tuesday night at her home Prizes at bridge were won by Miss Erna Bethe, Miss Hazel Bethe, Mrs. Emma Bethe, and Mrs. Katherine Schreiter. A Christmas tree was a feature of the decorations, and gifts were exchanged. Eight persons were present.

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A number of friends surprised Mrs. F. G. Walker, 731 W. Eighth-st, Monday night at her home. Cards and dice were played, prizes being awarded to Mrs. John Van Roy, Mrs. Mike Sminners, Mrs. Theodore Sanders, Mrs. James Dunkel, and Mrs. Martin Skal. Twelve guests were present.

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Girl Reserves met for an informal Christmas party Tuesday night at the home of Miss Marjorie Jacobson, 727 E. Franklin-st. Members sang a program of Christmas songs and exchanged gifts.

PLAN REUNION ON CHRISTMAS

The Schomisch family will hold a reunion on Christmas day at the home of Mrs. Matt Nilles, Jr., Hilbert. A number of Appleton people will attend, included Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bast, Miss Verona Schomisch Stephen, Donald and Wallace Schomisch, Mr. and Mrs. Roman Schomisch, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Post and daughter, Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Parker, Roland, Angela, Leo and Jackie Parker, and Miss Bernice Limpert. Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jorison, Milwaukee, are expected to attend also.

Re-Sale Shop will be closed until Jan. 2nd.

To Marry Again?

Despite denials, reports persist in Chicago of a possible remarriage of Edith Rockefeller McCormick and Harold F. McCormick. The scion of the harvester inventor and the daughter of John D. Rockefeller, Sr., were married in 1895 and divorced in 1921. Mr. McCormick was divorced a second time recently from the prima donna, Ganna Walska.

Moose Lodge Looks Over New Home

ABOUT 75 Moose members met for the first time in the new quarters over 219 W. College-ave Tuesday night. Cards were played after the business meeting, and the hall was open for inspection by the members. The decorating will be completed soon.

Initiation will take place next Tuesday night. A lunch will be served after the meeting.

Moose children will be entertained at a Christmas party at 7:30 Wednesday night at the lodge rooms. A program will be given and Santa Claus will be present. Mrs. Archie McGregor will be in charge of the program.

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J. T. Reeve circle, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, met Tuesday night at Odd Fellow hall. Plans were made for installation of officers and initiation to be held in two weeks.

MISS SEYBOLD IS MARRIED TO JOHN S. WELLS

Miss Lillian Seybold, 231 E College-ave, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Seybold, Forest Junction, and John Sidney Wells, Appleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells, Martinsville, Ill., were married at 12:30 Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents in Forest Junction. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. L. Zeller. The bride was attended by Miss Mildred Wells, Martinsville, sister of the bridegroom, and Oliver Seybold, Forest Junction, brother of the bride, was best man. A wedding dinner followed the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Wells left on a ten day trip. On their return their will make their home at 1102 E. Eldorado-st.

Among the immediate relatives and friends who witnessed the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Seybold and daughter, Cleo, Appleton; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Seybold, Miss Evelyn Seybold, Wauwatosa, and Miss Dorothy Fischl, Manitowoc.

The bride is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority and has been assistant to the business manager of Lawrence college since her graduation from Lawrence in 1926. Mr. Wells is an engineer with the Wisconsin Michigan Power company. He is a graduate of Rose Polytechnical Institute at Terre Haute, Ind and is affiliated with Theta Xi fraternity.

NEED AUTHORITY TO PURCHASE MACHINERY

Madison —(AP)— The approval of the county board is necessary before a county highway committee may purchase snow removal machinery, H. H. Naujoks, assistant attorney general, has ruled in an opinion to Otto F. Christianson, district attorney of Grant county.

The county highway committee, however, may rent the machinery with an option for later purchase authorized by the board, Mr. Naujoks said.

Unless the court finds negligence in the operation of an automobile, the clerk of court need not submit a transcript of judgments in civil suits to the secretary of state as a basis for revocation of a driver's license, Samuel Bryan, assistant attorney general has ruled.

LIBERTY LAND WILL BE SOLD AT AUCTION

A parcel of land in the town of Liberty will be sold at public auction by Sheriff John Lappen at the courthouse on Jan. 5, 1932, to satisfy a mortgage foreclosure judgment. The judgment was granted by Judge Theodore Berg in municipal court on Nov. 19, 1930, and the sale was ordered Nov. 20, 1931. The property is owned by Ellsworth L. Cousins, et al, and the mortgage is held by Albert Schwartzkopf.

Serve More Than 200 At Church

OVER 200 persons attended the supper and Christmas party at Memorial Presbyterian church Tuesday night for Sunday school and congregation members. The supper was served by Mrs. Mabel Shannon assisted by volunteer workers from the Ladies Aid society. Christmas carols were sung. Leslie Smith was in charge.

After the supper, the guests were entertained at a program. A 20-foot surprise mill, constructed by Glen Pelton, Harold Heller and H. M. Marty, ground out candy and popcorn for the children. Several of the children appeared on the program which included songs by the primary and beginning classes. Lois Mielke and Ellen Marty gave selections.

A pantomime, "And the Light Went Out," was put on by the classes of Miss Meredith Bandy and W. A. Fannon. A quartet composed of Edwin Scannon, Clark Nixon, Lester Schmidt, and Winton Glaser sang several selections, and Edmund Marty and H. M. Marty gave selections. Surprise gifts were distributed to members of the church and Sunday school.

SOVIET PREPARES TO FINISH 5-YEAR PLAN

Jckes Aimed at United States in Rally in Old Throne Room of Czars

Moscow— (AP)— Russian officials prepared, with high spirits and good humor, today to attack the problem of completing the five-year plan in 1932, backed by the enthusiasm of a rally last night in the former throne room of the czars at the Kremlin.

While the members of the Union Central Executive committee assembled for the rally—plainly dressed workers and peasants, women with red scarfs or shawls on their heads and a scattering of soldiers in uniform—they wandered about the corridors, smoking and chatting.

Joseph Stalin, virtual ex-officio dictator, sat upon the platform, fresh from his fifty third birthday yesterday, but Vyacheslaff Molotoff, president of the Council of People's Commissars, did the talking.

His address was chiefly statistical, but he joked a little, especially at the United States. "We are trying to erect next year more blast furnaces than the United States closes down," he said, and laughter followed the sally.

The workers and peasants of Russia, he said, have the necessary grit and determination to bring the five year plan to completion next year, which will be only its fourth year. The hundreds of delegates applauded the statement, as they had applauded his appearance on the platform.

The total investment in the five year plan, Molotoff said, will be 54,000,000 rubles, about $27,000,000,000. This he said, is 16 per cent greater than originally was planned.

Some branches of industry already have completed their five year schedule, in three years, he said, but he emphasized the importance of heavy production in fuel, metal and machinery and said improvement is necessary in land, water and air transportation.

FLASHES OF LIFE

By The Associated Press

Buenos Aires—River boat captains in these parts are sticklers for the conventions of dress. Noel Coward, British playwright, and Earl Amherst, New York dramatic editor, had to ride second class on the boat that brought them here because they were attired in riding breeches and khaki shirts.

Washington—Ability to bark like a dog is one of the things required of trans-oceanic telephone installers. A young engineer stood in Secretary Wilbur's office and made dog noises for half an hour testing apparatus with which the secretary will inaugurate service to Hawaii. High and low barks have been found the best sound tests for that kind of telephone equipment.

Toronto—Prof. T. W. Isherwood of Wycliffe college, has learned what one nine-year-old youngster thinks of him and of Santa Claus too. The boy asked the professor if he believed in Santa Claus and Dr. Isherwood replied, "Of course I do. Why not?" The small interrogater remarked, "Well, you must be dumb."

Kitchener, Ont.— There is a limit to what a fireman can do. Members of the department proved expert at mending broken dolls, but when the women members of the relief committee sent the dolls back to be dressed, the laddies just climbed on the truck and went to a fire.

Beauty on the River

The beautiful blue Danube is something more than a favorite waltz tune to Countess Mary Radetzky. It's a river to row on! The Countess, shown here in rowing attire, is stroke of the champion crew of the Viennese Woman's Rowing Club. She is a great-granddaughter of famous Field Marshal Radetzky.

Make Slow Progress With Efforts To Beautify City

BY JESSIE HENDERSON

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Hollywood — (CPA) — Efforts to beautify the cinema capital by planting palm trees and iron benches along Hollywood boulevard, at so much per planting, are progressing rather slowly. For $48 a movie star may endow a bench for tired shoppers and whatnot, the bench to be inscribed with the star's name, and for from $40 to $65 a star may deck the boulevard with a palm tree, the star's name to be inscribed on the bark or upon a metal plate.

So far there are two benches. They are inscribed with the names of Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks. There is one palm tree placed experimentally in front of a movie house. The palm has nobody's name on it but originally bore the inscription: "please keep your dog away from this tree and give it a chance." Shocked hands rubbed out the lettering on this sign.

Despite facetious suggestions that weeping willows might at the moment be even more appropriate to Hollywood than palms, the Hollywood Boulevard association sponsors the palm-tree idea vigorously. A few years ago the city fathers chopped down all the fine old pepper trees along the boulevard, despite the protests of Mary Pickford. They also chopped down thousands of trees on other business thoroughfares in the interests of traffic problems and wider highways.

But today the city fathers are planting thousands of young palms hither and yon to form a nice background for visitors to the olympic games next summer. It has kept city employes scampering to protect these sprouting trees from harm in the slight frosts which the unprecedented cold spell has brought here.

Taking their cue from the city fathers, the Hollywood Boulevard association is determined to make its street a thing of beauty, benches and bobbing branches. There isn't a film star who does not applaud the idea, up to a certain point. This point in many cases appears to be a decimal point, an item which has assumed a lot of importance since the recent salary cuts.

INSURANCE AGENTS ENTERTAINED HERE

The Aetna Life Insurance company agents of the Fox River Valley and their wives were entertained at the Conway hotel Tuesday evening by Mr and Mrs. H. C. Berger supervisor Albert E. Mulenz, general agent of Milwaukee, addressed the group.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bruegger, Oshkosh; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lampert, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Packard, Neenah; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Connell, Kaukauna; Howard Getchell, Green Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Dalton, Manitowoc; Mr. and Mrs Norman Hanson, Clintonville; and John Stevens of Appleton.

DUNCAN GASOLINE TAX PROPOSAL IS APPROVED

Madison—(AP)—Voting 80 to 0, the state assembly concurred Tuesday in the Duncan bill to return to towns, cities and villages immediately the gasoline tax receipts due them Feb. 1 and sent the measure to the governor. It was expected Governor La Follette would sign the bill.

The Duncan bill was adopted in the senate late Monday. Senator Thomas Duncan, Milwaukee, sponsor of the measure, said it would provide about $3,700,000 to the localities immediately.

The refund was established through the Cashman 4 cent gasoline tax bill adopted during the regular session and was given towns, villages and cities to reimburse them for losses in property tax. Property taxes on automobiles were repealed.

PAPERS ASKED TO GIVE SOURCE OF NEWSPRINT

Madison—(AP)—By a vote of 79 to 2, the state assembly Tuesday adopted a joint resolution requesting all newspapers and magazines published in Wisconsin to state at the head of their editorial columns the source of their newsprint.

Assemblyman Charles Budlong Marinette, introduced the resolution which contends that many newspapers and magazines are purchasing paper in Canada, thereby causing unemployment in Wisconsin paper mills.

The assembly also approved a joint resolution introduced by Assemblyman Matson I Reckare, Milwaukee, asking the Public Service commission to comply with a previous request to raise the standard of gas in Wisconsin.

APPLETON FIRM IS SECOND LOW BIDDER

The Appleton Construction Co. submitted the second low bid on the new children's unit for the Sunnyview sanatorium in Winnebago-co yesterday. The bids of 18 contractors of the Fox river valley were opened yesterday and tabulated. The lowest bidder was the Ben B. Ganther Construction company of Oshkosh, with an estimate of $19,875. The bid of the Appleton firm was $20,440. Awarding of the contract will be made later by the board of trustees of the sanatorium.

Dance at Black Creek, Friday, Dec. 25th.

Add Fun To Gifts For Christmas

BY ANGELO PATRI

Christmas is not merry unless Santa Claus comes with his pack full of gifts for the children. He has to come no matter what happens. Children cannot be expected to understand the usefulness of doing without in the upbuilding of the spirit. We older ones are not so keen about doing without ourselves and are more than willing that our spirits thrive in plenty rather than in penance and poverty. Let's feel rich this Christmas. When you think it over we aren't so poor at that. Our fore fathers did well on much less. Anyway it is Christmas and we are going to make the most of it for the children's sakes.

What kind of gifts are they to have? Useful ones of course. They have to save a share for what is purely joyous. One has to have clothes. The law insists and the climate demands but beyond the law and the weather is the child spirit whose day this is. There must be a gift that is nothing but delightful.

I believe that every child should have a ball. There are balls for babies and for in-betweens and for adolescents and for college students. I always begin with a ball and build up from there, standing on the world as it were.

Then a good book. The children's books are lovely this year. The picture books for little children are works of art. The stories are good too, although often they lag behind the pictures. It is delightful when the text and the pictures are both good but you can't expect perfection all the time, not even in books. Study both pictures and text and select the book that seems to you the best and you can make no mistake. Never before have the publishers sent out so many fine ones for the little children as this year.

Remmber that Christmas is merry. Put a bit of sheer fun, nonsense, into the stocking. If a child is not going to laugh on Christmas morning the day is lost. Look for funny little things on the streets and in the Five-and-ten. The creeping bugs, jumping tumbling creatures are fascinating. A family joke that turns up in the Christmas stocking is just so much to the good on the funny side of Christmas and it does wonders to the family spirit, carrying round the year in chuckles and good humor.

The success of Christmas does not depend entirely upon money. Home made things are better than toys in the shops, if you take them seriously enough and put your mind to the task. I found some home made dolls that are great. Anybody can make them out of unbleached muslin, old stockings, some ravellings for hair, and a bit of water color. You can endow a doll with personality that way and no shop can compete with you. And you can make balls, sweets, slippers, caps, no end of things, if you are handy and have a little extra time. Maybe you don't know it but I can tell you that children love the thing that has been especially made for them by father or mother or grandpa or auntie far more than they ever love what was bought for them. They will keep your homemade gift always and never cease to glow about it.

Let's spend what we can for the children's holiday and if we are short of money let's piece it out with work affection, and intelligence, all one and the same thing. We can make Christmas with that simple equipment, and have a better one than usual at that.

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The Story of Sue

by MARGERY HALE

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"WHOSE car was that?" Sue asked Harry as a car pulled away from the curb.

"It might have belonged to anyone. We have a night shift working back in the second and third mills," Harry answered. "Why?"

"Just curious, that's all," Sue told him. But a dancing imp of an idea was flitting through her brain. That car, she was sure, belonged to Bob. And Corrinne was in it. If she had come, she had done it in order to spy on them.

But Corrinne wouldn't be that stupid, Sue tried to tell herself. She knew how unnecessary that was. And she had taunted them with their safeness.

Sue had been standing at the window with Harry. It might have looked. . . . She started toward the door.

Hurry, Harry. I'm afraid we'll miss Jack."

"Pretty much in love with him, aren't you?" Harry asked, snapping off the light as he prepared to follow her.

"Terribly. More than any woman has a right to be with a man. But you know he's more than worth it, don't you?"

"He's all there!" Harry's voice was hearty and approving. "I'm glad you and he decided to do the 50-year stretch with each other."

"Not half so glad as I am that you got in our family through Corrinne," Sue told him. But the menacing memory of the parked car that had gone on stayed with her.

The train was on time. Sue saw Jack swing down the steps. Then in a minute she was sitting between the two men as the car turned toward the boulevard that led to the section where Harry's home was located.

She had a premonition that she would find Corrinne at home. She was right. Corrinne was sitting on the davenport, curled up in one corner, and Bob was sittinig on a chair, ill at ease, wanting to be gone. As though she had been present, Sue knew the way that Corrinne had insisted that the boy stay with her, when he had wanted to leave.

"I'm safe now, Bob. You're dismissed. Go back to the party and June and everyone," Corrinne said. She turned to the others. "After all the accidents and little things we've had I was just a little afraid to stay down-stairs alone. Oh, hello, Jack, did you have a good trip?" And did you get what you wanted at the factory, Harry?"

"Found it right away. How did you know I wanted anything at the factory?"

"I saw you with my—own—two—eyes!"

Her voice was light and a little taunting. But her eyes were deadly serious.

"You saw me get the paper out of the files? How could you?"

"Oh, it was a paper in the files? No, I didn't see that. I saw the street scene."

"The street scene?" Harry was plainly puzzled. But she knew what Corrinne meant. Cold fury seized her and left her weak. She slipped one hand into Jack's and was glad when he held it tightly.

"Sue knows even if you don't, don't you Sue?" Corrinne asked.

"No, I don't," Sue answered. "Harry stopped to get a paper out of his desk. That was all.

"Well, then call it the window scene. Now do you remember?" Corrinne asked. Under the mockery and the sternness Sue sensed that she was dreadfully hurt. Hurt so badly she would say anything. "Do you remember?" she repeated.

NEXT: Corrinne makes an accusation.

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MY NEIGHBOR Says —

A pencil and a tiny pad of paper to slip under the pillow is a most useful gift to the sick person who thinks of things she wants to remember, then forgets again before she can tell her thoughts to anyone.

To prevent new shoes from pinching, lay a cloth moistened in hot water across the place where the pressure is felt most, changing the cloth as soon as it becomes cool. This will make the leather shape itself to the foot.

Brooms, brushes and mops should be hung on strings or screw-eyes fastened to the handles so that the weight will not rest on the straws, bristles or strings.

In cooking potatoes, it is a saving of time and labor to cook enough for two meals. From the cooked potatoes, escalloped potatoes, potatoes au gratin or potato salad may be prepared as well as fried and mashed potatoes.

A splendid dry mop can be made from the legs of old black stockings. Cut off the feet of about 15 stockings and slit them open lengthwise, then sew them together and fasten them onto a mop handle.

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RUBBER GLOVES PROTECT HANDS IN DISHWATER

BY ALICIA HART

It is just an old-fashioned idea that winter spoils the softest hands.

Of course it can. But it is your own fault if you let it. There are so many preparations on the market now to help you keep your hands soft and white and that if you let them get rough and red and unpleasing, it is carelessness.

Soft water is one of the biggest aids to white hands. If you live where water is hard, use a little borax, soda or commercial fragrant salts to soften it when washing your hands. Use good soap on them, too. And if you must wash dishes without rubber gloves use white soap for dish water and do not use it too hot. Save the boiling water for rinsing and spare your hands the par-boiled look it gives them.

One of the secrets of keeping your hands white and soft, though keeping house, is to have either a slice of lemon or some other bleach at hand to run over them when you have been scouring pans or peeling vegetables or scubbing. Also, if you care one whit how your hands look, you will have an ever-present bottle of hand lotion at the sink as well as in the bathroom and apply it the minute you finish your work.

For hands that get chapped, use oil instead of water to cleanse them, at least just before going outdoors. Splurge on some of the fragrant, pleasing creams and unguents that there are for such hands. And above all, oil them richly and then don gloves for sleeping. They are a nuisance but they are the biggest single aid chapped hands can have. Wear them loose and have them leather, if possible. This keeps the oil on your hands better than fabric gloves.

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BUSY AIR CITY

Chicago —In addition to gangsters and its kind, Chicago is fast gaining a reputation as the aeronautical center of the nation. The city has 520 departures daily, either by air or the combination air-rail to the 175 principal cities of the United States, Canada and Mexico.

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WE WOMEN

By Virginia Vane

HEART-BREAKER MUST PROVE HIS WORTH TO TRUSTING SWEETHEART

Dear Virginia Vane: I don't expect to get sympathy from anyone but I am coming to you to ask you a plain question. Isn't it true that there is good in the worst of men—and that very often that good is entirely destroyed by people who go on believing the worst and will not recognize the good? I know what the world says about the man I love. He is handsome, very rich and charming and seems to be in love with me. He has a wife who won't divorce him and before he met me, he was in love with another young girl who expects him to marry her when he is free. But now that he has met me, he doesn't care for her. I am confident that when he is free, he will turn to me but everyone is against him. They say he can't be all right or he would not have so many women crazy about him. He treated his wife badly a few years ago but she turned around and was even worse to him. Now, if everyone is going to be down on him, he at chance has left. Why can't they believe that maybe he'll turn out all right and that if he marries me we'll be happy together?

NATHALIE.

Every once in a while a miracle happens in this life, Nathalie, but so rarely that the average run of human beings have ceased to believe in miracles and prefer to go by the usual rules of every day life.

There IS a possibility that your man may suddenly turn around and become a good husband, a splendid citizen and a chivalrous protective knight—all at once—but that possibility is very remote. And since your people who love you are very likely average human being they can only measure him by every day rules of conduct and find him lacking. They can't say cheerfully that a miracle will happen and that your present love affair is therefore perfectly all right.

You see, he has lived rather longer than you have apparently and during his lifetime, so far as one can judge, he hasn't shown any stability so far as women are concerned. He marries one woman and treats her badly—so badly that she is impelled to give him a dose of the same treatment. No use your trying to blame her, since he was the first offender. Then while he is still married—and therefore not in a position to embark on courtship with any one else, he begins an affair with a young girl, who falls in love with him rather violently. He hasn't treated her fairly in entirely using her. If he were the sort of good husband material you still expect him to be, surely he'd have waited till he were free before showing his affection for a girl much younger than himself.

And now on top of it all, he proposes to treat his little sweetheart most cruelly by deserting her for you as soon as he is made a free man. You can hardly call this a decent or honorable or decent in any part of this story, Nathalie, and with people who do not know that he isn't man to put first.

If he had showed any tendency to change his course of living—if he'd exhibited any sort of decent feeling toward the women he's met so far—one might agree with you that he should be given a chance to prove that he was really a gentleman and possibly a good candidate for a husband. But honestly what you have said, or what can anyone say, to defend his position?

Unless something miraculous has happened to him, you have no guarantee whatsoever, my dear, that there won't be still another sweetheart before he is divorced, and that you also will not be relegated to second place. For your own sake, be sensible, not sentimental.

Don't go around condemning him, but on the other hand, don't throw your life away for his sake. You will not do him or anyone else any good by too much blind faith in him. If he's the right sort let him prove it more conclusively than he has thus far in his life. And until that proof is clear let your head rule the situation and not your heart.

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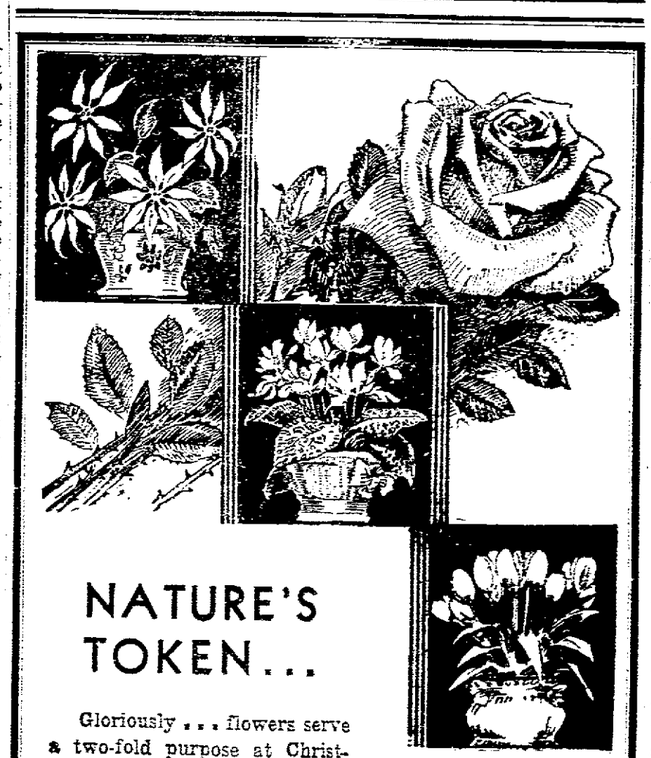

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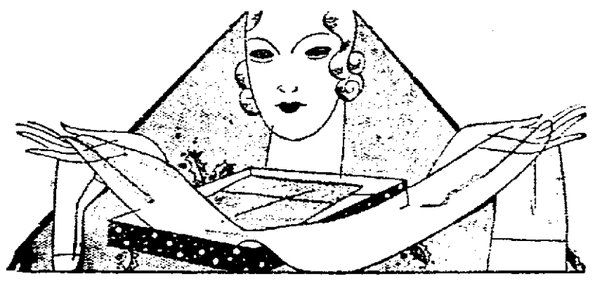
Colored oak leaves, maple and myrtle. Beautiful color combinations and color blending. Appropriately ornamented.



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Brach's Christmas Hard Candies 25c, 30c, 35c lb.

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Of fine quality, of pure thread silk. Colors are lava, maron, gracle, vanity, castor, nougat, sable, Bahama, ebony, nightingale, rosador, plague and others. Boxed.

Men's Sox 29c, 50c, 75c and $1

Men's Rayon and Silk and wool mixtures in plaids, stripes and novelty patterns. Boxed. Big assortment.

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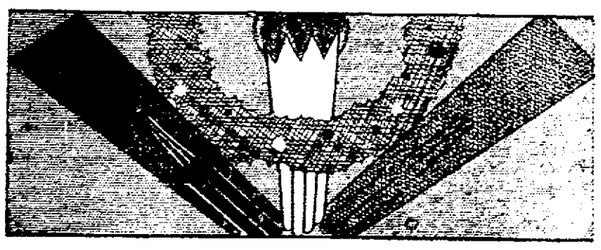
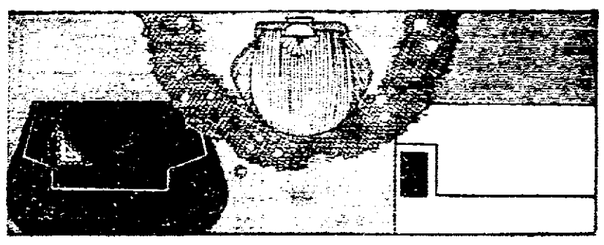
Plain and lined models, enameled mesh in colors and designs, also soldered mesh. Guaranteed.



Boxed Greeting Cards 69c

25 assorted cards, 25 plain and fancy lined envelopes. Assorted sizes and sentiments.



Boxed Capeskins, $1.95 to $3.95 French Kid, $2.95 to $5.95

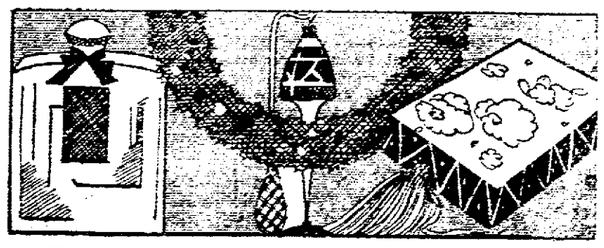
Slip-on styles: Clateau, Perrin and Hanson makes. In colors of black, white, brown, cocoa, tan, eggshell, black and white. Sizes 4 to 7½.

Boxed Turkish Towel Sets 49c and 59c

Double thread heavy Turkish Towels with colored borders. Wash Cloths to match.

Leather Hand Bags $2.95 to $15.98

Genuine calf, morocco, goatskin, alligator and suedes. Underarm, pouch and longhandle styles. Zipper effects; in colors, black, brown, green and taupe.

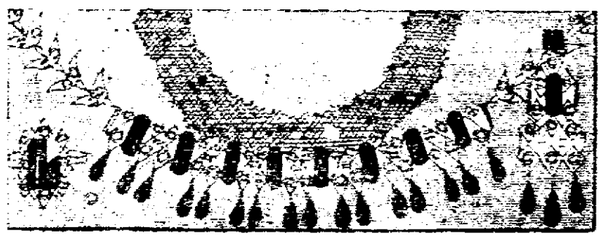


Boxed Powders, Toilet Waters 50c to $3.50

Hudnut's, Yardley's, Coty's, April Showers, Houbigant's, Luxor's, Roubaud's. Packed in beautiful boxes. Popular fragrances.

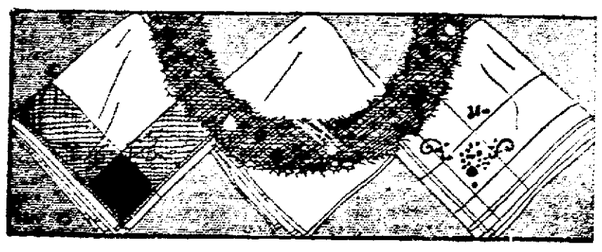
"Hansen-Ireland's" Lined Gloves $1.98 to $6.95

Fleece, fur, wool, lamb's wool lined. Slip on and strap wrist styles, in the new fall shades.



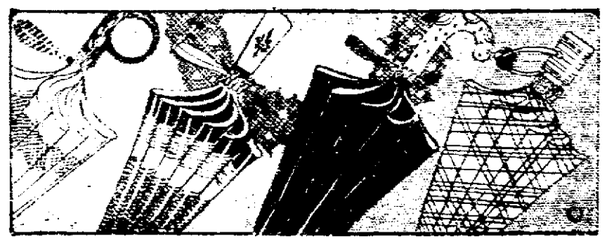
Boxed Jewelry 59c to $3.98

A big selection of earrings, brooches, necklaces, pendants, clusters and crystal bands. Novelty clasps — in the popular colors.



Boxed Ascot Scarfs $1.00 to $1.95

In Roman stripes and black patterns.



Boxed 'Kerchiefs 50c -- 75c -- $1.00

'Kerchiefs from all over the world. All linen and novelty cottons. Embroidered and colored borders. In plain and fancy.

Boxed Stationery 50c, 75c to $1.50

Eaton's fine quality stationery with colored and fancy lined envelopes. Also notes and correspondence cards.

Boxed Silk Umbrellas $4.98 to $5.98

16 rib style with novelty borders, in plain and all-over patterns, amber tips, curved handles. In navy, black and white, green, brown, black, purple.

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MENASHA FIVE BEATS KIEL BY 19 TO 15 COUNT

Victors Rally Late in Game After Trailing at Half, 19 to 15

Menasha—After trailing by a four point margin at the end of the first half, the Menasha high school basketball team came from behind to defeat the Kiel high school cagers, 19 to 15, in a non-conference battle in the Kiel gymnasium Tuesday evening.

Massey and Captain Asmus, working in guard positions, crossed up the zone defense used by the Kiel cagers and started the Menasha rally early in the second half. Asmus scored two baskets and a free throw Massey chalked up one field goal and one basket, and both men, veterans of last year's first string aggregation, were outstanding in defensive play throughout the game.

Novakofski, a sophomore forward, sent in to replace Lerche, took high scoring honors for Menasha with two buckets and two free throws for a total of six points. In the final quarter, with the Menasha team leading by only one point, Novakofski's field goal helped put the game on ice for the Caldermen.

The victory was the second of the season for the Blues, who defeated the Chilton five here last week. Calder started Leopold at center, Robinson and Lerche at forwards, Asmus and Massey at guards. The squad will continue practice sessions this week in preparation for its first Northeastern Wisconsin league contest at Oconto Falls, Jan. 8.

FOOD COLLECTED AT BENEFIT SHOW

Distribution to Needy Families to Be Made Thursday in Menasha

Menasha — A large crowd, bringing canned goods and other foodstuffs for admission, attended the annual Christmas benefit party sponsored by the Menasha Red Cross chapter in the Brin theatre Tuesday afternoon. An elaborate program, including a motion picture comedy and short subjects, several musical selections, dances, readings, and speciality numbers was presented.

The foodstuffs received at the show have been added to the supplies which will be distributed to needy families in Christmas baskets Thursday. Several boxes of food were contributed at the Congregational church Sunday school program Tuesday evening and have been added to the Christmas supplies, while toys, clothing and money have been collected by the Red Cross, Good Fellows, Legion and Auxiliary committees and other organizations during the past few weeks.

K. C. CAGERS MEET KAUKAUNA QUINTET

Menasha — The Menasha Knight of Columbus basketball squad will meet the Kaukauna lodge quintet in a postponed league game at Kaukauna next Tuesday evening. The Menasha aggregation, which holds undisputed possession of first place in league standings with one victory and no losses, probably will open the Kaukauna clash with Weyenberg at center, Remmel and Rather at forwards, Hoheisal and Anderson at guards.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM IS WELL ATTENDED

Menasha — A large crowd attended the Congregational Sunday school Christmas program in the Congregational church Tuesday evening. The entertainment was featured by a pageant, "The Story Beautiful," by Valeria Lehman, given by members of the church school and directed by Mrs. Hugh Sutton. Exercises by the school beginners and primary departments also were given.

INSTALL WATER MAIN ALONG APPLETON-ST

Menasha—Installation of a 12-inch water main on Appleton-st from Third to Ninth-sts is under way with crews working in two five-hour shifts. About 25 men are employed on each shift.

The project was recommended by the water and light commission, partially as an unemployment relief measure, and was approved by the common council at its meeting Dec. 15.

BEGIN VACATION AT PAROCHIAL SCHOOL

Menasha—St. Mary grade and high school pupils began their Christmas vacations after the conclusion of classes Tuesday afternoon, a day earlier than originally planned. Classes will be resumed at the regular hours Jan. 4.

MENASHA GIRLS' TROOP PLANS YULETIDE PARTY

Menasha—The Neppopew group of Menasha camp fire girls will be entertained at a Christmas party Wednesday evening. The troop will attend a show, then adjourn to the home of Miss Alice Strong, guardian. A program including games, lunch, and an exchange of gifts has been arranged.

CUB PACK FETED

Menasha—The Menasha Cub Pack was entertained at a Christmas party in the Memorial building Tuesday afternoon. A program of games and refreshments was directed by Louis Hatmeister, Sr., Louis Hafmeister, Jr., Anton Tielen, and Fred Block. About 30 members of the boys organization were present.

SONNENBERG DRUGS LOSE AT APPLETON

Menasha — The Sonnenberg Drugs, league leaders in Falcon league play, and the Menasha entry in the recently organized Badger Amatuer league, took a 32 to 15 drubbing from the Appleton Bears in a non-league contest at Appleton Tuesday evening. Verbrick, Appleton center, starred for the Bears, while Green led scoring for Menasha with three baskets and two free throws.

The Sonnenberg squad will play its first game in the new Badger league against an Oshkosh entry at Oshkosh Jan. 5. Falcon league play here has been suspended until February.

KIWANIANS HEAR ST. THOMAS RECTOR

Education Produces Better Sense of Values, Club Members Are Told

Menasha—The primary result of a good education is a better sense of values, the Rev. A. Gordon Fowkes, rector of St. Thomas Episcopal church, told the Menasha Kiwanis club at a meeting in Hotel Menasha Tuesday noon.

The Rev. Fowkes referred particularly to the study of history and outlined four outstanding reasons why the culture, experiences and literature of preceeding generations should not be overlooked. A knowledge of history has a tendency to extend one's vision, provide a better sense of values, prevent undue agitation about "wildfire" movements, and teach that nothing endures unless it serves, he stated.

Elaborating on the final point, Fowkes explained how previous economic systems had disappeared when they ceased to serve society and pointed out that the present industrial system, unless it is based on service rather than profit making exclusively, might share the same fate. The idea of serving should extend beyond the service club meetings and into the world of competitive business, he maintained.

In a short talk preceding Fowkes' address, E. Sonnenberg explained the laws relative to old age pension effective in Winnebago-co after Jan. 1, revealing that a system had been adopted whereby aged couples in many cases could remain in their homes and receive county help.

If the aged indigents have property valued at less than $3,000 they will be allowed to transfer its title to the county judge and remain in their home. The county administers the estate until the death of the indigents, then sells the property, deducts the amount advanced and distributes the remainder to the heirs. The system will provide fewer worries for those receiving the old age pension and will eliminate the possibility of the aged people being turned out of their homes, Sonnenberg explained.

MENASHA NEUTRAL IN LAKE LEVEL BATTLE

Menasha — Because one part of the city is above and the other below the Menasha dam, Menasha will continue its neutral stand in the controversy relative to the level of Lake Winnebago, according to city officials. Although a meeting in opposition to the 2½ inch level ordered by the United States War Department will be held in Oshkosh Dec. 29, Menasha will not be officially represented.

NEENAH SOCIETY

Neenah—The local chapter of the Quill and Scroll, high school journalistic society held its annual banquet Tuesday evening at the Sign of the Fox. Following the 6:30 dinner a short program was given. Several new members were admitted.

The special Christmas meeting of the Senior Women's Missionary society of St. Paul English Lutheran church will be held Wednesday afternoon Dec. 30, at the parish house. There will be a special program. Members will bring their gift offering and some small gift.

Presbyterian Mother's circle held its Christmas meeting Wednesday afternoon at the church.

Twin City Commandary will hold its annual Christmas service at 1:45 Friday morning at Masonic temple. A speaker will conduct the services.

CITY SEEKS BIDS FOR DRAINAGE TILE

Neenah—Bids for 178 feet of eight-inch, 2,448 feet of six-inch, and 17,535 feet of four-inch drainage tile to be used by the park commission in tiling Lowden and Fourth ward parks, are sought by the commission. Bids will be received up to 7:30 Tuesday evening, Jan. 5.

Installation of these two systems according to the commission, will be done entirely by hand labor, the men to be furnished by the local unemployment bureau. The minimum wage will be 40 cents an hour. The commission also specifies that 75 men must be used on each shift, working two shifts a day and that the contractor retains the right to discharge any man who does not deliver a reasonably good day's work. Work will be started immediately following the awarding of the contract.

TWO FOUND GUILTY OF PETTY LARCENY

Neenah—Percy Welch and Lawrence Zeil, Menasha, were found guilty Wednesday morning in Justice Chris Jensen's court of petty larceny. Both warrants were sworn to by Detectives Boynton of the Soo line railway following an investigation of a series of burglaries of freight cars in the Neenah and Menasha railway yards.

Zeil was sentenced to 10 days in Winnebago-co workhouse and Welch was ordered to make restitution, pay costs of action, and placed on probation to Justice Jensen for six months.

BISHOP STURTEVANT TO OFFICIATE AT ST. THOMAS SERVICE

Episcopal Choir to Sing Special Music at Midnight Eucharist

Menasha—The Rt. Rev. Harwood Sturtevant, D. D., bishop coadjutor of the Fond du Lac Episcopal diocese, will be the celebrant at the midnight Eucharist in St. Thomas Episcopal church on Christmas eve. The Rev. A. Gordon Fowkes, St. Thomas rector, will assist Bishop Sturtevant.

Christmas decorations and lights have been arranged at the church and special music by the parish choir, the midnight Eucharist is considered the most impressive service held at St. Thomas church during the entire year.

The special music will include a prelude, March of the Magi Kings" by Dubois; a processional; Kyrie" by C. Gounod; Gloria Tibi," Stults; Gratias Tibi," "Stults; "Credo," Moir; "O Come to My Heart," Ambrose; "Sursum Corda," Stults; "Sanctus," Gounod; "Benedictus," Gounod; Agnus Dei," Gounod; "Gloria in Excelsis Deo," Rogers; "Seven Fold Amen," J. Stainer; a recessional by Mendelssohn and a postlude by West.

The St. Cecilia choir will sing at the celebration of the Eucharist on Christmas morning at 9 o'clock. Other services will include Holy Communion at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, St. Stephen's Day; Holy Communion at 8 o'clock, church school at 9:30 and morning prayer at 11 o'clock Sunday, St. John's Day; and Holy Communion at 8 o'clock Monday morning, Holy Innocent's Day.

Members of the parish choir which will provide music for the service on Christmas eve are Miss Pauline DeWolf, Mrs. Hazel Bushey, Miss Edn Robertson, Mrs. William Jacobson, Mrs. J. F. Gillingham, Miss Aimee Vaux, Mrs. William Hall, Mrs. Frank M. Arbuckle, Miss Ethel MacKinnon, Miss Henrietta Hall, Miss Gladys Wangen, Miss Jeanne Pratt, Mrs. Albert Struss, Miss Birdie Kraft, Clarence Harvey, George W. Colipp, Reginald Hallen, the Rev. A. Gordon Fowkes, William Trilling, William Daniel, Fred Nixon, and Francis Proctor. Emlyn Owen is organist and choir master.

MENASHA SOCIETY

Menasha—Because of holidays on two successive Fridays, no meetings of the Menasha Economics club will be held until Jan. 8. Mrs. D. H. Greene will lead a resume of current events of 1931 and Mrs. W. A. Daniel, Mrs. J. P. Canavan, Mrs. L. W. Whitmore, Mrs. W. L. Wheeler, Mrs. N. F. Verbrick, and Mrs. F. A. Page will participate in the program. Hostesses will be Mrs. John Chapman and Miss Sallie Pleasants.

Because of Christmas eve, the bimonthly meeting of Menasha Eagles scheduled for Thursday evening, has been cancelled. The lodge will meet Jan. 14.

The Menasha park board will sponsor one of a series of dancing parties in the Memorial building Wednesday evening. The Memorial building will be closed on Christmas day.

The regular meeting of Betty Rebekah lodge, scheduled for Friday evening, has been cancelled. The lodge will meet Jan. 15.

The Peppy Eight club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Theodore Ponto Tuesday afternoon. Cards were played, honors going to Mrs. M. Handler, Mrs. J. Kolasinski, and Mrs. M. Bashford.

The Double Four club was entertained by Mrs. Lawrence Ponto at her home Tuesday evening. Honors at cards were won by Mrs. M. Handler, Mrs. Frank Zemlock and Mrs. J. Block.

The Quintette club met at the home of Mrs. M. Conley Tuesday evening. Honors at cards went to Mrs. J. Wagner and Mrs. William Doro.

The Victory club was entertained at a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Theodore Suess Tuesday evening. Honors at cards went to Mrs. Kate Patzel, Mrs. Henry Stacker, Mrs S. Heup, and Mrs. Anna Suess. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served.

Christian Mothers of St. Mary's parish were entertained at a basket card party in St. Mary school hall Tuesday afternoon. Proceeds were added to the St. Vincent DePaul society's Chrismas fund.

A regular bi-monthly meeting of Eastern Star lodge, scheduled for Tuesday evening, was cancelled because of pre-Christmas activities.

3-YEAR PROBATION FOR MENASHA MAN

Neenah—Three year probation under the state board of control was granted Henry Kusrow, Menasha, when he pleaded guilty Tuesday in Municipal court of embezzlement.

Judge Spengler suspended a sentence of one to three years in state prison at Waupun, on condition that Kusrow make restitution to the Twin City Dairy company, which formerly employed him, pay the court costs, and comply with another court order to support his family.

The information charged that Kusrow, while working for the dairy concern, embezzled and converted for his own use $338.68 of the goods of the company, accounted for in funds collected from customers, but not turned in.

JURY COMMISSIONER

Neenah — William A. Groth, Neenah, has been named a jury commissioner of the circuit court by Judge Boslinger to fill a vacancy caused by the death of H. M. Ballou, former member of the Winnebago co board.

New York is organizing to put on grand opera at popular prices. Probably on account of the depression the artists can sing lower.

A Chevalier Smile

Mme. Maurice Chevalier, wife of the screen star, had this happy smile for America when, as pictured here, she returned to New York after a visit to her native France.

NEENAH PERSONALS

Neenah—Harold Smedal, captain of the University of Wisconsin rowing crew, is spending a few days here with Charles Tessendorf. Tessendorf also is a member of the crew.

Richard Kelly is home from Notre Dame to spend the holiday vacation with his mother, Mrs. George Kelly.

Miss Elenor Schnable, who attends Rosary college, and Donald Schnable who is attending Notre Dame university, spent the weekend at the William Aylward home on their way home to Wisconsin Rapids to spend the holiday vacation with their parents.

George Schmidt is home from Pittsburgh, Pa., to spend the holiday vacation with his father, C. G. Schmidt.

Alderman Robert Marten has returned to his home following a major operation to which he submitted three weeks ago at St. Elizabeth hospital.

Otto Wege, Emil Schwartz, William Kohrt and Albert Jorgenson spent Sunday at Berlin.

Leonard Kuepper of Sherwood is at Theda Clark hospital for treatment.

George Raleigh submitted to a major operation Monday at Theda Clark hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Kelly of Milwaukee spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Bell.

Reinhold Matheson is home from school at Memphis, Tenn., to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Annette Sindahl Matheson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Newton and son spent the weekend with Milwaukee relatives.

Ralph Stiegler and Carl Nielsen were Milwaukee visitors over the weekend.

Earl Bryan of Chicago is visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Bryan.

Miss June Seiler was home from Milwaukee to spend the weekend.

Mrs. W. H. Guidotti has been admitted to Theda Clark hospital for treatment.

A son was born Sunday at Theda Clark hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zienke, Menasha.

Douglas Barnett and Harvey Jorgenson have returned from a visit at Cadott.

Herman Lehman, Milwaukee, who has been visiting A. Hennig, has returned to his home.

Ralph Hauser is home from Marquette university to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. A. Hauser.

Hugo Woeckner is home from a trip through the south and east for the Printing and Carton company.

Irene Bosserman, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Bossermann of Appleton, submitted to a major operation Tuesday at Theda Clark hospital.

Raymond Pouquette, Jr., is receiving treatment at Theda Clark hospital.

Paul Nesphar of Appleton is at Theda Clark hospital for treatment for slight injuries received Monday afternoon while at work at the Lakeside mill.

Frank Shattuck, Jr., student at Yale college; James Shattuck, of Wollingford, Conn., and Ann Shattuck of Dobb's Ferry, N. Y. are home to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Shattuck.

Miss Edna Ulrich, Chicago, is visiting her sister, Miss Louise Ulrich, for the Christmas vacation.

Gerald Jeffrey is transacting business at Milwaukee.

Jack Bubbert is home from the University of Wisconsin to spend the holidays with his mother.

Miss Katherine Jones has left for Madison to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Engle will spend Christmas with their son, William C. Engle and family, at Kenosha.

Arthur Shattuck, noted pianist of Paris, is visiting his sister and brother, Mrs. Vina Beals and S. F. Shattuck, during the holidays.

George Brown will leave Thursday for Minneapolis where he will spend the holidays with his sister, Mrs. Charles D. Fournier.

A. Poelinger, printing teacher at the high school left Wednesday for Lacrosse to spend the holidays.

Miss Charlotte Peters has gone to West Bend to visit relatives during the holiday vacation.

Miss Irene Espeseth will spend the holidays with Manitowoc relatives.

Marvin Olson has gone to Duluth, Minn., to spend the holidays at his home.

Frank Schneller, Jr., is home from Carnegie Institute at Pittsburg, Pa., to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Schneller.

Elmer Rimpler of Northwestern college at Watertown, is spending his vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hennig.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kimberly have arrived here from their winter home at Tryon, N. C. to spend the holidays.

George Birmingham, Jr., has returned from a visit of several months with relatives in western states.

George Blohm is home from Wisconsin School of Engineering at Milwaukee, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Blohm.

A son was born Wednesday at Theda Clark hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kreger.

A son was born Tuesday at Theda Clark hospital to Mr. and Mrs. P. Gavinski, Menasha.

Mrs. Frances Stevens is receiving treatment at Theda Clark hospital.

Miss Helen Lloyd submitted to an emergency operation for appendicitis Tuesday afternoon at Theda Clark hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. John Kunschke attended the funeral Tuesday afternoon of Otto Lettman at Shiocton.

Miss Fern Dixon has gone to Ishpeming, Mich., to spend the holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Thorson of Newberry, Mich., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Einar Jorgenson, over the Christmas period.

RAPID PROGRESS BY CONGRESS IN FIRST 15 DAYS

Members Adjourn Until Jan. 4 for Twelve-day Holiday Recess

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until the last thing last night. A handful of house members maintained the form of a session until the senate was ready to quit.

What Has Been Done

This is what congress has accomplished to date:

Ratified the moratorium.

Passed a $200,000,000 appropriation for the veterans administration, and some additional items for employment services.

Pushed consideration of the $500,000,000 reconstruction corporation in committee to the point that it can be brought out for action soon after reconvening.

The house passed and sent to the senate a bill to make $100,000,000 available for farm land bank loans.

The senate confirmed numerous nominations and initiated several new inquiries.

The feeling of the leadership was voiced by Speaker Garner:

"If you go back and study history you will find that there has not been a new congress in decades that has done as much before Chirstmas—I mean as far as the house is concerned."

The senators did not consider themselves much behind.

Moratorium Approved

The one year inter-government suspension of war debt and reparations payment today bore its final official sanction and needed but the signature of its sponsor, President Hoover, to come fully into effect.

The last step was taken by the senate last night. It approved the house resolution of ratification by a majority even greater than the one mustered by its companion chamber. Despite two days of fiery argument against it, 69 senators approved and only a dozen opposed.

The payments already have been suspended. First installments to the United States under the moratorium were due Dec. 15. Congress could not ratify by then but the administration informed the foreign governments they could count on the approval which now has materialized, one week to the day after the payment date.

The suspension will continue to July 1. Next Dec. 15 the payments, barring an extension, will be resumed.

One important element of the situation as it now stands, however, is that the approved resolution recorded the congress as utterly opposed to any scaling down or cancellation of the war debts due this country. That is a declaration of its present will, backing up widespread individual assertions by prominent legislators.

It was called for by the message of President Hoover on foreign affairs which recommended re-establishment of the World war foreign debt commission to weigh in the light of changing conditions the ability of nations to pay—in other words again scale down the war debts.

This congressional declaration, however, is made in the face of widespread conviction, expressed by the president, Secretary Mellon, outstanding financiers and others that some further remission appears inevitable.

"It is useless," said Mr. Hoover, "to blind ourselves to an obvious fact."

The opponents of the moratorium did not miss the point. Recurring constantly in their virulent attacks was the prediction that this one year moratorium was mere forerunners of an extension, or a reduction in the debt total, or even an attempt at cancellation.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL CLOSES UNTIL JAN. 4

Neenah—Trinity parochial school closed Tuesday afternoon for the holidays. Classes will be resumed Jan. 4. An appropriate Christmas program was given by the pupils under direction of William Hellermann, principal.

Sessions at the public schools closed Wednesday afternoon, to be resumed Jan. 4. Appropriate programs were given in all schools during the afternoon.

ANKLAM BOWLS 689 SERIES AT NEENAH

Gets Games of 243, 226 and 220 to Set Pace in City League

Neenah—City bowling league rolled its weekly matches Tuesday night at Neenah alleys, with Anklam, leadoff man for Gilbert Papers, rolling high series on 243, 226 and 220 for a 689 total. Doc Bleeker was second on 668. Gilbert Papers rolled high series of 3,058, First National Banks No. 1 high team game of 1,071. Arthur Draheim, high individual game of 244. On the evening's honor roll were Krysiak, 652; Muench, 641, M. Malouf, 628; Larsen, 626; Clausen, 628; Krull, 620; Atkins, 617; Thermanson, 617; Gilbert and Mitchell, 616; Schultheis, 615; Hula, 613; H. Weinke, 611; Draheim, 610 and Auskin, 606.

Artco Inks retained its lead by taking three from Big Hanks, Gilbert Papers, due to its big series, beat the Neenah Papers for three; First National Banks No. 1 swept the series from Philco Radios; First National Banks No. 2, won a pair from Lieber Lumbers, Stanelle won a couple from Metropolitans, Angermeyer Plumbers moved into a tie for second place by taking the odd game from Bergstrom Papers. Blue Bills won three straight from Jersild Knits, Craig Motors won the odd game from Nixon Fuels. Edgewater Papers and Lewis Meats have postponed their games until Tuesday, Dec. 29, at 7 o'clock.

Scores: Craig Motors, 975, 979, 843; Nixon Fuels, 907, 905, 915; Stanelle Service, 893, 896, 879; Metropolitans, 910, 839, 873; Neenah Papers, 874, 934, 971; Gilbert Papers, 1,012, 1,037, 1,009; Lieber Lumbers, 958, 930, 825; First National Banks No. 2, 956, 1,020, 956; Blue Bills, 916, 958, 938; Jersild Knits, 915, 870, 892; Artco Inks, 1,039, 945, 973; Big Hanks, 912, 861, 881; Philco Radios, 902, 899, 929; First National Banks No. 1, 921, 1,071, 987; Angermeyer Plumbers, 936, 910, 860; Bergstrom Papers, 940, 990 and 936.

Standings.

	W.	L.
Artco Inks	33	13
Bergstrom Papers	32	19
Angermeyer Plumbers	32	19
First Nat'l Bank No. 2	29	22
Lewis Meats	27	21
Nixon Fuels	26	25
Craig Motors	26	25
Banks No. 1	25	26
Blue Bills	25	26
Edgewater Papers	24	24
Jersild Knits	24	27
Stanelle Services	24	27
Big Hanks	23	28
Philco Radios	22	29
Gilbert Papers	21	30
Neenah Papers	20	31
Metropolitans	20	31
Lieber Lumbers	18	33

HOCKEY GAME CALLED OFF NEXT FRIDAY

Neenah—Lack of ice on either the lake or the hockey rink will prevent the first home game to be played Friday afternoon by the Red Wing hockey team. The team was to have played the West Bend team here. The warm weather effects all cities represented in the Fox River Valley league, so the Christmas games will be played after the regular schedule has been completed.

A duck in Los Angeles is trying to hatch an ostrich egg. That's certainly a big undertaking.

WHO'S NEW IN CONGRESS

N. L. Lichtenwalner

Allentown, Pa.—(AP)—At 42 Norton L. Lichtenwalner has entered the national house of representatives as much surprised at winning the post as were some of his constituents.

Lichtenwalner

Lichtenwalner, a democrat of Allentown, was elected last fall from the more or less normally republican fourteenth district of Pennsylvania. His seat in congress is his first public office.

The new representative likes golf but considers his greatest sport driving an open car with the top down through all kinds of weather.

He is an anti-prohibitionist and is particularly interested as a member of congress in repeal of both the Volstead act and the Eighteenth amendment.

TWIN CITY DEATHS

JOHN ERMA

Neenah—The funeral of John Erma, 57, Neenah laborer who was found dead in his bed at a hotel here Tuesday noon, will be held Thursday at the Sorenson undertaking parlors. He had been employed by the C. R. Meyer company in construction work at the new field house at the high school and was last seen on Monday by fellow employes. He had been a resident of this vicinity for the past 10 years, coming here from Hungary, where it is said he has a wife and family.

ANTON ROMNEK

Menasha—Funeral services for Anton Romnek, 78, 744 Sixth-st, will be held at St. John's church at 8 o'clock Thursday morning. The Rev. W. B. Polaczyk will officiate and interment will be in St. John's cemetery. The body was removed to the residence from the Laemmrich funeral home Tuesday evening.

CAGE GAME BOOKED WITH HOUSE OF DAVID

Neenah—Manager Mitchell Johnson of the Jersild Knits, professional basketball team, has booked the bewhiskered House of David team for the New Year night attraction at S. A. Cook armory. The team comes with a big record to its credit for the season. The Jersild team will go to Fond du Lac Saturday night to play that city's pro team.

POSTPONE CAGE GAME

Neenah — The basketball game between Neenah Epworth league and Oshkosh Parker Paints, scheduled for Wednesday evening at Wesley hall, has been indefinitely postponed, according to Manager Robert Mott. The game will be played after the holidays.

HOLD YULE PARTY

Neenah—Kiwanis club met Wednesday noon for its annual Christmas party at the Valley Inn. Instead of a speaker, the activity period was spent in singing Christmas carols and distributing gifts.

DEFICIT IN INCOMES

Cleveland—(AP)—The Nickel Plate railroad today reported its November net income after all charges, showed a deficit of $507,837, a decrease of $1,283,077 under the corresponding month of last year.

Probably the reason we can't get out of this depression is every expert's got the whole thing in a nutshell.

THREE DEATHS OCCUR IN SEYMOUR VICINITY

Special to Post-Crescent

Seymour — Funeral services for George Andrews who was killed in an automobile accident at Antigo were held Saturday afternoon from the Methodist church. The Rev. Knudson was in charge. Interment was in the city cemetery.

Ernest Jochin died at his home late Saturday evening in the town of Oneida. The body was moved to the Muehl Funeral home where services will take place Tuesday afternoon. Services will also be held at 2 o'clock at the Angelica church with interment in the parish cemetery.

Peter Laskowski, 82, died early Sunday morning at his home in the town of Cicero. Funeral services will be held at the Navarino Catholic church. Burial will take place in the St. John Catholic cemetery here.

Local merchants have sponsored a plan of street decorating in which a lighted tree is being placed in front of each business place.

The local high school basketball quintet defeated the Shiocton high school team Friday evening by a score of 31 to 16. The game was played on the Black Creek floor. The next game scheduled is with Pulaski a week from Friday night.

Local schools have closed for the holidays and all teachers have left for their respective homes. They will reopen Monday, Jan. 4.

A large community Christmas tree has again been erected by the American Legion at Legion square. This tree will be the scene of a Christmas program to be given Wednesday afternoon.

THE WEATHER

WEDNESDAY'S TEMPERATURES

	Coldest	Warmest
Chicago	46	54
Denver	38	58
Duluth	32	42
Galveston	68	72
Kansas City	42	52
Milwaukee	46	51
St. Paul	32	46
Seattle	42	46

Wisconsin Weather

Mostly cloudy and unsettled tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

General Weather

Mist and drizzle were general over southern and eastern Wisconsin during the last 24 hours, while light showers occurred over the lake region, New England states and along the lower Mississippi River. Precipitation has also occurred extensively from the Rocky Mountain region westward to the coast, with rain still falling along the Mississippi coast as well as in scattered places over the lake region and New England states. Temperatures remain mild over the middle-west and eastern states but have fallen about 10 degrees over Minnesota and the Dakotas. It is also colder over the Canadian northwest, with zero reported from Edmonton, Alta. The outlook is for continued cloudy and unsettled tonight and Thursday because low pressure still prevails over the entire Northwest and the plains states. Temperatures will also remain moderate except for some cooling tonight.

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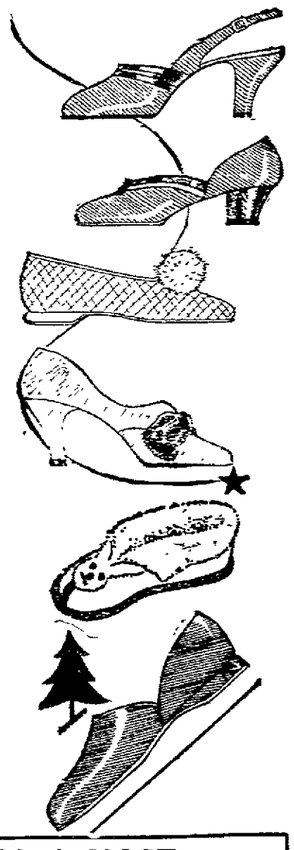

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CHURCH CHOIRS IN SPECIAL PROGRAM

Adults and Children to Take Part in Emanuel Church Service

Special to Post-Crescent

New London — A cantata, "The Manger Prince," a musical offering in 14 parts, written by Charles H. Gabriel, will feature a program to be presented by the adult and children's choirs of Emanuel Lutheran church on Christmas night. The concert will begin at 7:30, under the direction of B. H. Boese and Miss Dorothy Bender. Preparation for this presentation has been going on for more than a month. Parts presented in unison will be broken by bits of solo, duet and quartet work.

Those who make up the personnel of the adult chior include Mrs. G. A. Vandree, Miss Ione Beckert, Miss Beatrice Dexter, Mrs. Melvin Wolfrath, Miss Edna Gruetzmacher, Miss Beatrice Schmallenberg, Miss Laura Sommers, Miss Helene Plumb, Mrs. John Dickinson, Mrs. Emil Gehrke, Mrs. Marie Meinrich, Misses Adela and Anita Roloff, Miss Gertrude Karuhn, Miss Gertrude Meartz, Miss Dorothy Stern, Miss Isabell Schoenrock and Miss Lucille Ladwig. Male parts in the choral work will be taken by Emil Gehrke, Milton Theimer, Rev. Walter Panko, Melvin Wolfrath, Henry Ploetz, William Lintner, Frand and Eldor Schoenrock and Fred Radtke.

About 15 children will sing during parts of the cantata. Miss Dorothy Bender will act as pianist.

On the evening of Dec. 27, members of the Green Bay Lutheran choir will come to New London to present their Christmas choral work. This choir of 40 voices will present a program at 7:30. On the evening of Jan. 3, the local choir will go to Green Bay to give their cantata in the church.

NEW LONDON DEBATE TEAMS WIN AGAIN

(Special to Post-Crescent)

New London — Scoring another dual victory, both the affirmative and negative teams of the high school debating society have made certain their entrance into the Northeastern Wisconsin Interscholastic conference. The affirmative team defeated the negative group of East DePere here Monday afternoon. Those on the team are Ardelle Roepke, William Sohrweide, Westley Calef, with Arthur Palmer as alternate. The decision was 3 to 0.

On Tuesday afternoon, in their meeting with the East DePere affirmative team at East DePere high school, the local negative group won a 2 to 1 decision. The members of this group are Alice Mae Ziemer, Edward Redman and Irvin Demming, with Harry Wells as alternate. Upon receiving word of the results attained by other triangles in the conference, announcement will be made of the schedule of meetings following the holidays, according to H. H. Brockhaus forensic director.

CONDUCT LAST RITES FOR PANKOW CHILD

(Special to Post-Crescent)

New London—The funeral of Ruth Jane, six-months-old daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Walter J. Pankow of this city, took place on Tuesday afternoon. The Rev. R. Ziesemer, pastor of Mt. Olive church at Appleton, was in charge of the service at Emanuel Lutheran church, with the Rev. Frank Reier of the Waupaca Lutheran church in charge of the short service at the residence. Bearers were Milton Plumb, Vernon Dobberstein, Kenneth Krueger and Wilmer Graichen. Burial was in Floral Hill cemetery.

Those attending the services from out of the city were Mrs. August F. Gorder and Miss Sarah Gorder of Minneapolis; Rev. and Mrs. Albert Pankow, Rev. and Mrs. Erdman Pankow of Green Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yerke, Markesan; Mrs. Charles Warnke, Russell Warnke, Pardeeville; Rev. and Mrs. E. Redlin, Ellington, Rev. and Mrs. Immanuel Boettcher, Sugar Bush; Rev. and Mrs. F. Brandt, Appleton.

STUDENT, THROWN OFF HORSE, ESCAPES INJURY

(Special to Post-Crescent)

New London — Irvin Demming, a school student, again has escaped serious injury in an accident. The accident occurred while he was horseback riding. The horse, owned by William Karuhn had stopped for the arterial at Smith-st and Beacon-ave. Upon starting the saddle girths broke, the horse became frightened and plunged into the front of a car driven by A. E. Morse. Demming was thrown over the top of the car, landing against a tree. He received only minor bruises. The horse, after causing damages estimated at about $40, dashed away into the darkness, but was finally captured.

CAST SELECTED FOR HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

(Special to Post-Crescent)

New London—Following the tryouts, H. H. Brockhaus, member of the high school faculty, and director of public speaking, has announced the cast for the all school play which will be given at the Grand Theatre on Friday, Jan. 29. The four-act drama is entitled "The Attorney for the Defense," rehearsals for which will begin during the holiday period.

Those assigned to parts are Kathryn Polzin, Mary June Rickaby, Louise Demming, Georgiana La Beau, Irvin Demming, James Fitzgerald, Arthur Palmer, Westley Calef, Merle Shephard and John Garot.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS BUSY ON WEDNESDAY

Special to Post-Crescent

New London—Wednesday evening presents a full program for high school students and their friends. The first event will be the community songs of the Girls Glee club, guing about the American Legion Christmas tree on the corner of S. Pearl-st. Following this the high school band will give a street concert to advertise the dancing party sponsored by the Parent-Teacher association.

ROTARY CLUB HOST TO 84 NEEDY BOYS

New London — The Rotary club at its annual Christmas dinner entertained needy boys Monday evening. The party was given in the dining room of the Congregational church, members of the Congregational church serving a chicken pie supper for 84 boys.

The tables were decorated with tall red candles, pine boughs and gilded cones, with mounds of red wrapped pop corn balls along the length of the tables. A space was cleared at one end of the room where, following dinner, stunts of various kinds entertained. The advent of Santa Claus was followed by the distribution of gifts by the club members. Those of the committee in charge were Harold Zaug, A. W. Sneesby and Jack Hickey.

WOMANS CLUB HEARS ADDRESSES ON EUROPE

Chilton—The Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. H. F. Arps Monday afternoon, the hostesses being Mrs. Arps, Mrs. Edward Landgraf and Mrs. Otto Schmidt. The following program was given: Christmas Carols, by the club; piano solo by Alvin Ohlrogge; tenor banjo solo, by Lester Lorenz; vocal solo, by Miss Elizabeth Quade. Mrs. P. H. McGovern of Milwaukee talked to the club on her travels abroad. Mrs. McGovern spent 13 months abroad, visiting Iceland, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, France, Italy, Sicily, Egypt, the Holy Land, and the British Isles. She spent four months in Paris. She told of the habits and customs of the European peoples, and showed samples of the handiwork of several countries.

Mrs. William Hume fell on the steps of St. Augustine church Monday morning and sustained severe injuries to her hip. The extent of the injuries has not as yet been determined.

Mrs. Eliza Steudel and Mrs. Anna Osthoff were in Milwaukee Saturday to attend the wedding of Miss Evelyn Steudel and Edward Schulstrom, which took place at the bride's home. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Steudel, formerly of this city.

The seventh and eighth grades of the public schools will give the operetta "The Toy Shop" at the high school Tuesday evening. The operetta is being directed by Miss Elizabeth Quade.

Mrs. A. S. Hipke entertained the past matrons at her home Friday evening. After the business meeting three tables of cards were played. The club will meet in January with Mrs. William Aebischer.

Mrs. Ernest Rau received word that a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Park of Albany, Calif., on Dec. 6. Mrs. Park is a niece of Mrs. Rau and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wendling, former residents of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Arps left Friday for Indianapolis, Ind., to attend the wedding of the latter's brother Carl Hanske and Miss Lillian King, which took place Sunday. Mr. Hanske, formerly of Kiel, is now teaching in the Indianapolis schools.

The work of pouring the concrete floor on the new bridge over the Manitowoc river at Gravesville was completed this week and it is expected that the bridge will be open to traffic Jan. 1. It is expected that the side walk over the bridge will be open sooner. This is the bridge which collapsed under a truck load of concrete in August.

The Lafolot club met with Mr. and Mrs. Al Lawonn Wednesday evening, honors in cards going to Mrs. J. W. Goggins and Charles Luther.

The C. C. Club met with Mrs. R. C. McGrath Wednesday afternoon, prizes being awarded to Mrs. Herman Voss and Mrs. John Hall.

Mrs. J. F. Ryan entertained three tables of five hundred at her home Wednesday afternoon. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Thomas Flatley and Mrs. P. C. Cole.

Miss Winifred Endres entertained the Girls' Bridge club at a Christmas party at her home Thursday evening. The guests were the Misses Helen and Irma Sontag, Myrtle Schwalbe, Elizabeth Quade, Marion Albert, Norma Groth and Isabelle Steffes.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson entertained the Wednesday Bridge club at her home Wednesday afternoon, prizes being awarded to Mrs. George Meyer and Mrs. Delbert Roll.

NEW LONDON PERSONALS

New London— Mrs. Josephine Cline left Tuesday for Hollywood, where she expects to spend the winter. Mrs. Cline spent the recent months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cline in this city.

Miss Ruth Beulmeler, who teaches at Mellen, Wis., is at home for the Christmas vacation. She will spend a part of her time at the home of her sister in Elkhart, Ill.

Mrs. Robert Gardiner and little daughter, Carol Low are spending some time at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Oestreich. Mrs. Gardiner will leave with her husband and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Johnson for South America on Jan. 23. Leaving New York they will said for Rio De Janerio returning at the end of two months by way of Florida. Little Miss Carol Low will remain at the Oestreich home during the absence of her parents.

Eldor Schoenrock will spend several days of next week in Madison and Milwaukee.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS OF HIGH CLIFF

(Special to Post-Crescent)

High Cliff—Mr. and Mrs. August Nast of Marblehead were entertained at dinner at the J. Jagdfeld home Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Engelhardt and sons, Carlton and Edward, Edward Falk and Cornelius Benszchawel attended a birthday party at the Herman Buelow home at Sherwood Friday evening.

William Sternhagen, who has been confined to his home on account of illness has improved.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mumm of Marblehead and Mr. and Mrs. Metzner of Green Bay were guests at the J. J. Mumm home Friday.

Mrs. John Jagdfeld entertained friends at her home Saturday evening in honor of her birthday.

The pupils of the Walter Cheever school will have their Christmas program Thursday afternoon Dec. 24.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

by Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

THE JUMP TAKEOUT

No matter how highly endorsed, nor how strongly commended by the masters, the test of a bidding system is the results attained by its use. It is for that reason that I have taken time from my writing and other engagements to play the match of 150 rubbers, or as it has been called, the Bridge Battle of 1001 Hands, with Mr. Sidney S. Lenz as the representative of the Official System. Systems of Contract bidding must be able to stand the test and those who advocate their use should be willing to give their time to proving their worth. The present match is bringing out in vivid contrast many features of the two systems and in view of the expertness of the players representing the Official System, in no way can the results they reach or fail to reach be blamed on them. If they do not get the best results, then the system must be weak.

Take Hand No. 6, played in rubber No. 1, as an example.

North and South vulnerable.
East and West not vulnerable.
East, Dealer.

Mr. Lenz
♠ K J 10 7 5
♡ A J 10
◇ Q 8 3
♣ 9 5

Mr. Culbertson
♠ 9 8
♡ K 9 8 6
◇ 5 3
♣ 10 5 6 4 3

Mrs. Culbertson
♠ A Q 6 4
♡ 4 2
◇ J 7
♣ K J 8 7 2

Mr. Jacoby
♠ 3 2
♡ Q 7
◇ A K 9 6 4 2
♣ A Q 10

The Bidding:

(Figures after bids in table refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

East	South	West	North
1♣	1◇(1)	1♡(2)	1♠(3)
Pass	1NT(4)	Pass	2◇(5)
Pass	3◇	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1—If Mr. Jacoby had been using the Culbertson System rather than the Official System, he would have had available two better bids; a bid of two clubs, which is the equivalent of a strong Takeout Double and guarantees control of the first round of the opposing suit; or a bid of two diamonds, a Jump Overcall which discloses a very strong hand with more than 3 honor-tricks and a powerful single suit or a strong two-suiter. Probably the first suggested course would have been the better one.

2—A nuisance bid made with the hope of affecting opponents' bidding.

3—Mr. Lenz' hand is certainly powerful enough in view of Mr. Jacoby's vulnerable Overcall to justify a Jump bid in spades. His hand contains nearly 3 honor-tricks including adequate support for his partner's bid suit.

4—South should have rebid his diamonds rather than venture on a perilous notrump. Of course, his hand contains no stopper in the heart suit adversely bid and the notrump Overcall for that reason is entirely unsound.

5—Had Mr. Lenz used the Culbertson System, he would have found that his hand justified raising his partner's bid to not less than three diamonds. However, the bidding has been so inaccurate, judged by the principles of the Approach-Forcing System, that now all chances of making a Slam are lost.

The result of this unusual bidding was that Mr. Jacoby played the hand for three diamonds and made six. The correct result could, no doubt, have been attained by an accurate use of the Approach-Forcing System. The bidding might well have run:

East	South	West	North
1♣	2♣(1)	2♡	3♡(2)
Pass	4◇	Pass	4♠(3)
Pass	5◇(4)	Pass(5)	Pass
Pass			

1—The equivalent of a strong Takeout Double.

2—Showing control of the heart suit information of great value in the later rounds of bidding.

3—North makes this bid with the idea of offering his partner a choice of suits. He knows that his partner will infer diamonds support from his previous strong bidding and will bid five diamonds if the spade bid does not fit his holdings.

4—South decodes North's message. It's plain sailing now.

5—North is well content to play the contract at five diamonds. He would bid six if he held first round control of his own suit.

TODAY'S POINTER

Question: Lacking trump support for partner, when should Responding Hand pass?

Answer: When holding less than 1½ honor-tricks, or less than 1 when holding a biddable suit.

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QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Mr. Culbertson will be glad to answer questions on bidding and play of hands sent in by readers. Address him in care of this newspaper, ENCLOSING A TWO-CENT STAMPED SELF-ADDRESSED ENVELOPE.

FIRE FIGHTING TO BE DISCUSSED BY TOWNS

Special to Post-Crescent

Hortonville — A meeting of the citizens of Hortonville and surrounding towns and villages will be held on Saturday night, to discuss adequate fire-fighting equipment for this section. The officials of the localities will be present and all citizens are requested to attend. The village hall on Mill-st will be the meeting place.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mathewson entertained friends at their home Monday evening. Bridge was played, prizes going to Lawrence Matheys and Mrs. E. L. Graef.

Miss Parry Roberts arrived Saturday from Minneapolis where she is a teacher in the public schools. She will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts.

A midnight mass will be held at the St. Peter and Paul Catholic church Christmas eve. On Christmas Day masses will be held at 8 and 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Enoch Otis returned Monday night from Chicago, where she had attended the funeral of a cousin.

The Hortonville Bethlehem Lutheran church will hold the usual program at the church on Christmas Eve. Following is the order of the program, which will be interpersed with questions and answers concerning the prophecies and Christmas story according to Luke 2.

"Praise God the Lord;"—welcome by Willard Baehman; responsive singing, Hahn Wichselgesang; song, "We Hail Thee;" recitation, second grade; song, "Come and Christ, the Lord be Praising," recitation, Jena Magedanz; song "Zion's Daughter," recitation, first grade; song, "Christmas Day So Dear;" recitation, "Christmas Story, according to Luke 2, 1-20, with organ accompaniment, Hugo Dobberstein; Song, choir," Horch Welch;" song children, O du Froeliche;" recitation, "Thalcta Radichel," Lucile Radichel and Ervin Magedanz.

German Cantata, "Machs dich auf, werde Lichtet" recitation, Leola Mae Schmidt; song, "Am fernen Himmel blinken"; recitation, Doris Lenzner, song, Antoinette Ratzburg; recitation, sixth grade; recitation, Winifred Lucck; recitation, Irvin Pankow; song, "As Each Happy Christmas," recitation, third grade; recitation fourth grade; Song, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" recitation, Elroy Roesler; recitation fifth grade; Song "Hark the Glad Sound;" recitation; Lorraine Gehring; recitation, seventh grade; recitation, Marjory and Elaine; song 'Candles Gleamin," Concluding song, "Beautiful Savior," children and selected adult voices.

The Lutheran Parochial school teaches have gone home for the holiday season, Miss Bussman to Sabin, Minn. and Miss Schimmelpfennig to Delano, Minn. School closed Wednesday morning with a short celebration for the children, and it will reopen on Jan. 4.

SHIOCTON CHURCH TO GIVE YULE PROGRAM

(Special to Post-Crescent)

Shiocton—The following Christmas program will be presented at the Congregational church Christmas Eve, beginning at 7:30, by members of the Sunday school.

Invocation, the Rev. R. F. Black; reading, "Christmas," Mrs. Herman Miller; "Spirit of Christmas," Marian Schwall; Bible Story of Christmas: part 1, scripture, Mr. Brownson; song, choir, "No Room in the Inn; recitation, "The Inn-Keeper's Little Lad," Beulah Booth; part 2, scripture, Glen Witthuhn; musical reading, "O'er the Plains of Bethlehem," Idabel Miller; part 3, scripture, Harold Henry; song, junior choir, "Holy Night;" part 4, scripture, Donald Miller; song, men's quartet; song, "Glory to God," junior choir.

Pageant, "Dear Little Jesus, primary class; cast: shepherds and wise men, Crusaders class; Mary, Gertrude Laird; Angels, Mary Joyce Meating and Lucille Koesler; recitation, "What Can I Give Him," Milton Spoehr; song, "Call of the Children," Dora Brooker and Laurel Marcks; "Children of Other Lands," Miss Laird's class; song, Junior choir, "We've a Story to Tell."

"The Christmas Dream," Frances Andrew's class; duet, June Pooler and Beulah Locke; White Gifts, Mr. Brownson's class, pastor; prayer response, Miss Cance's girls; benediction, Rev. R. F. Black.

Mrs. Fred Schroeder is confined to her home, southeast of the village, with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turriff were at DePere Sunday to visit the latter's father, Thomas Cavil, who is seriously ill.

Allen Turriff, who attends school at Madison, has arrived home for his Christmas vacation.

Walter Sawyer, a student at Lawrence college, will spend a two weeks vacation at his home in the village.

Misses Mary Thompson and Kathryn Thorp, students at Oshkosh Normal, arrived home Friday for a two weeks' Christmas vacation.

ENTERTAIN FRIENDS AT CICERO RESIDENCE

(Special to Post-Crescent)

Cicero — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roepcke of Navarino were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roepcke.

On Wednesday evening, friends surprised Mrs. Chris Pingel on her birthday anniversary.

On Tuesday the following surprised Mrs. August Piehl on her birthday anniversary; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Piehl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Piehl and family, Elandt; the Rev. and Mrs. F. Proehl, and August and William Parman of Kaukauna.

Martin Proehl of Columbus, Ohio, is visiting his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. F. Proehl.

The childrens program on Christmas Eve at the Evangelical Lutheran church, will begin at 7 o'clock. On Christmas day German communion services will be held. Confession begins at 9:30 and regular services at 10 o'clock. On second Christmas day, English services will be held at 10 o'clock. On Sunday, Dec. 27 services will be held in German at 10 o'clock.

CLINTONVILLE PAIR IS WED AT SHAWANO

Miss Beatrice Hayes Becomes Bride of Arthur Newton Saturday

Clintonville—Arthur Newton and Beatrice Hayes both of this city were married at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at the Methodist parsonage at Shawano, by the Rev. Benjamin Plopper, formerly of Clintonville. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Ziemer of this city and the groom is the son of Mrs. L. H. Newton of this city. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kasubowski of Clintonville. The newly married couple will make their home here, where the groom is employed by the F. W. D. Co.

Clintonville Woman's Club met Monday afternoon in the library club rooms. Considerable new business was transacted during the meeting.

A program followed at which a group of songs and piano numbers were given by Phyllis Boyce and Russell Kinstler. A play "Suppressed Desires," was read by Mrs. C. E. Gibson, Mrs. F. G. Dudley, Mrs. C. B. Stanley and Miss Amelia Meissner. A group of Christmas songs were sung by Mrs. Harvey Thielke and Mrs. Irving Auld.

Clintonville—Recreation bowling team defeated New London by 16 pins in a match game rolled here Sunday afternoon. Scores were: New London, 813, 878, 834, total 2525; Clintonville, 800, 860, 872, total 2531. Those playing on the local team were William Zastrow, Ed Bednarski, Don Wulk, Forest Schaefer and E. A. Hutchinson. High score for the past week was 230 rolled by William Wulk of Marion, at Recreation alleys.

Oscar Mellmil, medical student at University of Wisconsin has arrived to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. L. G. Mellmil.

A son was born Sunday afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vanderwalker at their home in this city.

The Rev. G. E. Kellner, pastor of Salem Evangelical church in this city was the guest speaker at the weekly Monday noon luncheon of Rotarians at Hotel Marson. His subject was "Christmas Everywhere." Other guests present included two representatives of the Japanese government who are visitors in this city several days this week.

Boy Scouts of the three Clintonville troops will join in a Christmas party Friday afternoon at the Boy Scout cabin on Pigeon river. They will have a Christmas tree, gifts will be exchanged and refreshments served.

Three new members were received into Troop 2 at their regular meeting Monday evening in the Dairyman's State bank club rooms. The new scouts are William Hurley, Eugene Thies and Raymond Patterson. F. D. Hurley, troop committeeman, was present to assist with the ceremonies.

Clintonville Girl Scouts under the leadership of Mrs. F. A. Brown have been busy during the past few weeks collecting and repairing toys which they will give to poor children at Christmas. The girls have also gathered enough clothing to give to 60 needy children. Christmas eve, the girl scouts will go caroling about the city. They will hold a Christmas party at their next regular meeting Monday evening, Dec. 28.

Rodney Dodge, University of Wisconsin student, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dodge, in this city.

Thorkel Christianson was installed high priest of Clintonville Chapter Royal Arch Masons at their regular meeting Monday evening. Others seated to office were Bruce Walch, king; John MacDonald, scribe; George Hughes, secretary; D. J. Rohrer, treasurer; E. K. Bird, captain of the hosts; Howard Anthes, master of the first veil; Charles Bennett, royal arch captain; Fred Krueger, sentry. Several others who were appointed to offices were not present for installation. Monday evening. William Barnum acted as installing officer and Paul Wirth was the installing marshal.

Mrs. Albert Mellike was hostess to friends at a Christmas party Monday afternoon at her home on North Twelfth-st. Four tables of five hundred were in play, followed by a five o'clock luncheon. High score was awarded at each table, and prizes were received by Miss Myra Mellike, Mrs. Henry Korb, Mrs. John Ewer and Mrs. J. B. Johnson. Santa Claus arrived at the party and presented everyone with a gift.

HENRY HINZ FUNERAL IS HELD AT MARION

Marion — The funeral of Henry Hinz, 45, was held at St. John Lutheran church at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. He died Thursday evening at the home of his brother Reinardt, with whom he had made his home for the past five or six years. Mr. Hinz was born on May 27, 1886. He had been in poor health for the past three years. Survivors are his father, two brothers, Arthur of Maple Creek and Reinhardt of Dupont; and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Witt of Maple Creek and Mrs. E. Kertzel of Bell Plain. Bearers were Fred Koepke, R. R. Self, Gust Self, Harvey Moerlein, Edward Horn and William Parlenz. The Rev. George Burkop officiated. Burial was in Greenland cemetery.

The children of St. John congregation held their last practice Tuesday morning for the Christmas program which will be given at the church Christmas eve. Every child will have some part while there will be several special numbers by the older children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schneider and son Gordon, Mrs. William Wangelin and daughters, Valeria and Helena, visited Sunday at the A. A. Schneider home.

Mrs. Ella Stracosta returned to the home of her mother, Mrs. Anna Spiegel, Monday from the Marion hospital where she had been for ten days.

The Alumni and the senior class of the Marion high school have made arrangements to give a Christmas dance in the school gymnasium on Dec. 29.

The M. E. Community church presented a program Sunday evening, including a cantata by the choir.

PLAN ANNUAL MEETING OF POTTER SOCIETY

Special to Post-Crescent

Potter—The Ladies Aid society of the Reformed church will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Frueck on Thursday, Jan. 7. This will be the annual business meeting at which officers will be elected.

The Reformed church will hold its Christmas program on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schroeder and family of Hilbert were visitors at the Ella Bart home, Saturday.

Those who attended the funeral of Mr. August Wenzel from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Englehardt, Mr. and Mrs. Arndt of Plymouth; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Englehardt, Mrs. Barbara Lothes, Mr. and Mrs. Gideo Lothes, Mr. and Mrs. William Ochs, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ochs of Sheboygan; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Halwach, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Malwach of Mosel; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hallbach of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. Nallir Oestrich and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wenzel of Manitowoc; Peter Lorig of DePere; Fred Rauch and daughter of Two Rivers; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kalk, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kalk of Birnamwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Kalk, Frank Heuserberg of Howards Grove; Mrs. Ted Trefler, Mrs. Louis Schreiber, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kalk, Gilbert Kalk, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kalk, William Brickhauer and daughter of Plymouth; Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Lorenz, and Miss Freda Kalk of Sheboygan.

The following helped Carl Pingel celebrate his birthday Sunday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schomberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pingel, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Pingel and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Stecker of Chilton; Mrs. Charles Rohrlenz, Mrs. Ella Bartel and Jack Pingel.

Mrs. G. C. Riedle is confined to her home with a sprained ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Franzen and son Ernest of Stockbridge were callers at the Ella Bartel home Sunday. Miss Esther Franzen accompanied them home.

Throngs of people visited the Farmers State Bank, Saturday evening to inspect the bullet proof glass and burglar alarm. Explanations were made by a representative of the Duplex Electric Co. of New York. Visitors were shown through the lobby into the cashier's cage, bookkeeping, and directors' rooms on the main floor. A test was made on the glass with a high powered gun.

Roller skating will be held at Kliest's hall Friday afternoon and evening.

An old time dance will be held at the Otto Kliest hall, Saturday evening. Petersons six piece orchestra from Oconto Falls will play.

BRIARTON RESIDENT SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS

Special to Post-Crescent

Isaar—Peter Laskuski, 86, father of August Laskuski, died at his home in Briarton after a short illness. He was born in Germany in 1845. In 1878 he came to Minnesota and in 1883 to Wisconsin. He is survived by his widow and four children, August of this place, Mrs. Felix Sawicki, Mrs. Julius Laskey of Navarino, and Julius of Greenleaf, 24 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Navarino church with the Rev. Father Esbetsky, officiating. Burial will be at the Catholic cemetery in Seymour. Pall bearers will be his grandsons.

Elmer Melchert, who is attending school at Capital university, Columbus, Ohio, is spending several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Melchert.

A large crowd attended the Christmas program given at the County Line school Friday evening. After the program Santa Claus distributed gifts and candy to children. The program follows: song, "Joys of Christmas" by the school; recitation, "I'm So Glad," Verna Van Hammond; recitation, Merry Christmas Wishes," Florence Matuszak and Marcella Lambert; song, "We've Got the Mumps," Helmuth Springstroh, Lorraine Mildred, and Joseph Van Hammond; monologue, "As Tony Tells It," Agnes Siegl; recitation, "It happens at Christmas," Helmuth Springstroh; play, "Christmas at the Finnegan's Flat"; recitation, "Christmas Dolls," Marjie Matuszak; song, "I'm Going to Tell My Ma On You," Jerry Nienhaus and Mildred Van Hammond; recitation, "Christmas Joys," Orville Platten; recitation, Aunt Jemina," Gertrude Matuszak; pantomine, "Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Oh Come All Ye Faithful" song, "I Don't Want to Play in Your Yard," Lorraine and Joseph Van Hammond, Verna Siegl and Helmuth Springstroh; dialogue "Mom Gets Ready for Christmas," Verna Van Hammond, Florence Matuszak and Marcella Lambert, Old Fashion Square Dance; tap dance, Gertrude Matuszak and Marcella Lambert.

FIVE SCHOOLS GIVE CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS

Lebanon — Christmas programs were given Thursday evening at Lebanon, Maple Hill, Pine Grove schools, Wednesday evening they will be given at the Lone Pine and Cedar Dell schools.

Sunday guests at the Henry Hahn home were: Mr. and Mrs. Hilmar Atkinson of Bruton, Mrs. H. Palmer and Bud of Embarrass, Byron Delaney of Redfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerold Tietz.

Those from here who attended the birthday party for Al Handschke at his home in Maple Creek Sunday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kussow and son Elmer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kussrow and family, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Tech and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Procknow and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roloff and family, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Stutchman.

Callers at the Alvin Genske home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Genske and son Louise of Black Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steingraber and Myra and Reuben, of Maple Creek, Mr. and Mrs. George Randall and son Melvin of New London, Mrs. John Pirner of Milwaukee, Mrs. Carl Pirner, Mrs. Henry Stroessenreuther and son Roydon, John Liskow of Black Creek spent the week-end there.

BEAR CREEK GRANGE TO PRESENT COMEDY

Young People of Organization to Give Three Act Comedy, "Wild Ginger"

(Special to Post-Crescent)

Bear Creek—A three act play entitled "Wild Ginger," will be presented at Pastime hall, Dec. 26 by the young people of the Grange.

The following named young people compose the cast of characters: Mr. Jake Tallman, George Knudson, Wuzy Walker, Irving Rachlein, Mr. Lakey, Donald Oestreich, Maxwell Lakey, Edward Neisy, Mr. Peterson, Evan Jepson; Jeffery Freeman, Lawrence Rachlein; Virginia Tallman, Grace Rachlein; Miss Lee, Lillian Richardson; Miss Stanley, Ada Jane Christensen; Bonita Lakey, Irene Oestreich; Miz Walker, Ellen Oestreich.

Merlin Lucia of Madison and Frank Lucia of Great Bay are spending the holiday vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lucia of the town of Bear Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schertz of the town of Bear Creek are the parents of a baby girl born Monday.

St. Mary school and the public school in the village closed Friday for a two weeks Christmas vacation. Miss Willa Schaughnessy is spending the vacation at her home at Appleton. Mr. L. Nelson is spending the time at his home at Lake Mary.

Miss Alice Fuller, who teaches at Hilbert is spending the holidays at her home in the village.

Mrs. Milo DeGroff, Mrs. D. Bennett, Mrs. Orville DeGroff and daughter, Donna Rae of New London spent Monday with Mrs. George Dery.

Miss Ferol Tate who teaches at Brooklyn, Wis., is home to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller and daughter Marcella of New London, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Russell of Clintonville and Herbert Miller of Cedarburg spent Sunday at the C. L. Miller home.

The Misses Mildred Dery and Violette Feller were home from Oshkosh to spend the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Flanagan and family were visitors at the Leo V. Zahren home at Clintonville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dery and son Floyd were visitors at Oshkosh Saturday.

ON THE SCENT

A young man who was engaged to an actress surprised his friends by breaking the engagement.

In the club, someone asked him the reason for the rift.

"Last time I kissed her she smelled of tobacco," he explained.

"But surely you don't object to women smoking?" asked the friend.

"No," agreed the young man. "I don't. But she doesn't smoke anyhow."—Tit-Bits.

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HIGH SCHOOL IN 18-14 WIN OVER ALUMNI CAGERS

Older Players Rally in Second Period Just Falls Short of Victory

Kaukauna—Piling up a huge lead in the first half of their fracas with Kaukauna high school alumni cagers here Tuesday evening, Coach Paul E. Little's high school basketball team copped its first victory of the season, 18 to 14. Holding the alumni cagers to but one basket in the first half, the Littlemen counted eight baskets to take 18 to 4 lead at halftime. Koch and Dix were responsible for most of the Kaukauna score, counting three baskets each.

Farwell, high school guard, opened the game with a basket shortly after the opening whistle. McFadden alumni forward, was good for a free toss. Farwell took a shot from midfloor and Koch, lanky high school center, tipped the ball into the basket on the rebound to set the Orange and Black Littlemen in the lead. Dix dropped another short shot from under the basket and Farwell added a free toss, giving the Orange and Blacks a 7 to 1 lead. With the smoothness of a well oiled machine, the high school quintet moved through the alumni defense to the basket, Koch getting the marker to set the Littlemen ahead 9 to 1 as the quarter ended.

In the second period, Dix opened with a short shot for the high school. Paschen shot a long toss from the middle of the floor to give the alumni cagers their first marker. Van Lieshout, high school guard, retaliated with a long field goal, totaling his teammates lead at 13 to 3. Dix and Koch added field goals. McFadden scored a free toss for the alumni, and Koch also added a gift shot. The half ended with the high school leading 18 to 4.

Rally By Alumni

Staging a brilliant comeback with reserves, the alumni held the high school scoreless in the third quarter while they added seven points to their total with baskets by Main, Macrorie, and Esler, Main also adding a gift shot. The defense of the high school team was not being penetrated, all of the shots being from long range. The quarter ended with the Littlemen still leading 18 to 11.

Continuing their efforts the alumni cagers added three points in the fourth quarter, and held the high school quintet scoreless. Although the Orange and Blacks were getting plenty of shots, they were unable to find the hoop, while Macrorie, alumni forward, was scoring a long shot and a free toss.

The lineups:

High School	FG	FT	P
Dix, f.	3	0	0
Sager, f.	0	0	2
Schwendeman, f.	0	0	2
Koch, (C), c.	3	1	1
Farwell, g.	1	1	1
Van Lieshout, g.	1	0	2
Totals	8	2	8

Alumni	FG	FT	P
Paschen, f.	1	0	1
Toman, f.	0	0	0
McFadden, f.	0	2	0
Verbaten, f.	0	0	0
Boyd, c.	0	0	0
Miller, c.	0	0	1
Macrorie, g.	2	1	0
Schommer, g.	0	0	0
Esler, g.	1	0	2
Farwell, g.	0	0	2
Main, g.	1	1	1
Totals	5	4	7

Referee, Unser; timekeeper, Grieschar; scorer, Miller.

SOCIAL ITEMS

Kaukauna—Miss Loretta Smits directed a Christmas program at the Ashwaubena school on route 3, Kaukauna, Tuesday evening. A box social was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. August Heinz entertained a card club at their home here Sunday evening. Honors went to Mrs. Ed Derricks, August Heinz and Frank Goetzman.

Royal Neighbors of America lodge entertained the juveniles of the lodge at a Christmas party in Odd Fellows hall Tuesday evening. A Christmas program, directed by Miss Clara Clark, was presented. After the party a lunch was served.

Odile Chapter No. 184, Order of Eastern Star, will meet in Masonic hall at 7:30 Friday evening. Regular business will take place.

SCOUT TROOP ENJOYS ANNUAL YULE PARTY

Kaukauna—Boy Scout Troop No. 29 held their annual Christmas party in the legion club rooms on Oak-st. A dinner was served, and gifts were given to the scouts by H. J. Lane, scoutmaster.

A second troop of scouts was organized Monday in St. Mary's annex by the Knights of Columbus. Two patrols were organized and several scouts from Troop No. 29 have transferred to the new troop. J. F. Cavanaugh is general chairman of the movement. Another troop will be organized on the north side of the city later. Henry Grieschar will act as scoutmaster for the new troop.

PAROCHIAL PUPILS BEGIN VACATIONS

Kaukauna—School children of St. Mary's and Holy Cross parochial schools began their annual Christmas vacation Tuesday. Both schools observed the holiday with programs. The programs consisted of recitations and musical selections.

MEET APPLETON FIVE

Kaukauna — Gustman Chevrolets, amateur basketball team, will meet the Bears from the Older Boys league of Appleton here Wednesday evening, according to Stanley Beguhn, manager of the Chevs. The Chevs have copped three victories this season, and have lost none.

Carey's Own Make Ice Cream, 22 test cream and fresh eggs. Carey's Buttered Barbeque.

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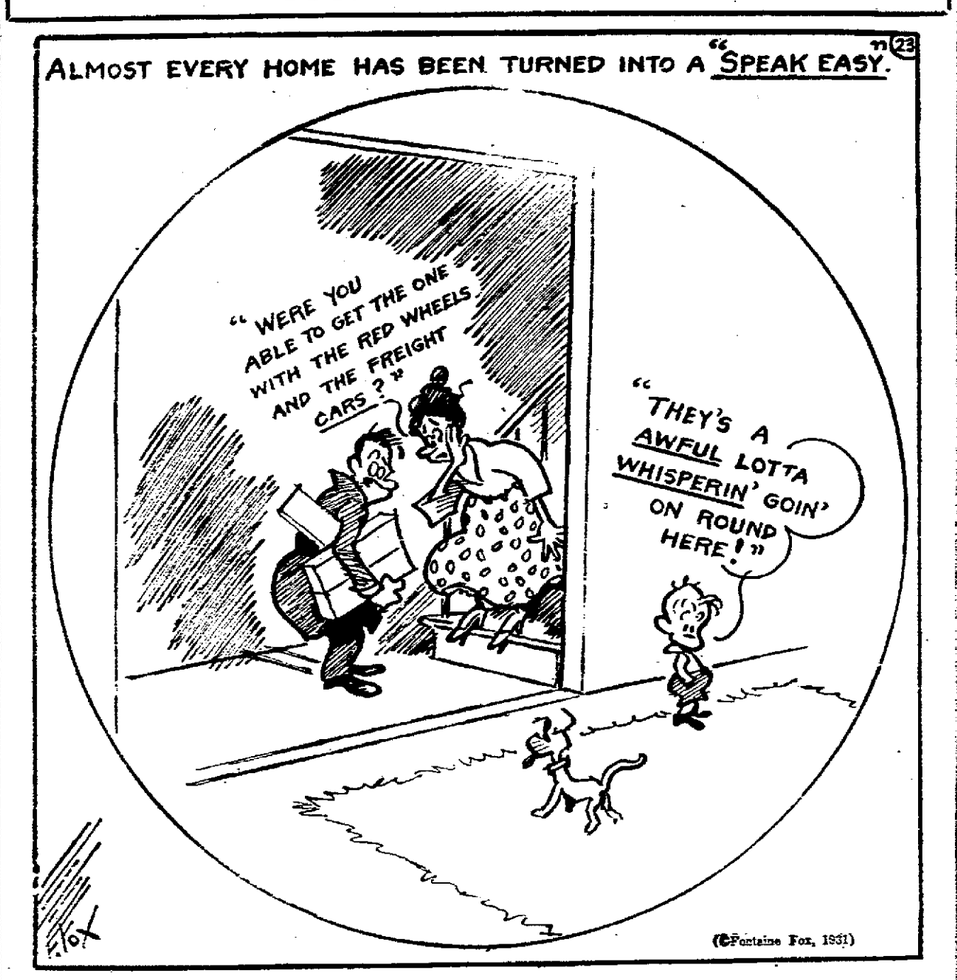

FINANCE COMMITTEE INVESTIGATES LOANS

Kaukauna — Kaukauna's finance committee, handling the relief fund being collected here, met in the bank of Kaukauna Tuesday afternoon to investigate applications for relief. Six cases were discussed by the committee, according to W. F. Ashe, secretary. The fund is being raised on a plan of 2 per cent of the monthly wages for a period of five months.

The finance committee is headed by Hugo Weifenbach, and other members are C. D. Towsley, W. F. Ashe, E. A. Brewster, and E. Landreman. These were selected by Mayor B. W. Fargo, and members of the committee who conducted the first drive. The committee meets each Tuesday and Friday to discuss applications for loans.

BANKERS MOVE INTO BOWLING LOOP TIE

Defeat Leading Kalupa Bakers in Three Consecutive Games

Kaukauna—Bankers, rolling in the City bowling league, upset the dope Monday evening on Hilgenberg alleys when they swept their series with the league leading Kalupa Bakers, taking three straight games. The victory puts the Bankers in a tie for first place. Scores for the series were: Bankers 1,031, 982, and 958 pins, Kalupa Bakers 919, 936 and 913 pins.

J. Krahn, bowling with the Mueller Boots set the pace with high single game of 235. E. A. Kalupa of the Kalupa Baker team also was high in honors with three games of more than 200 to total 628 pins for the series. His scores were 222, 201, and 205 pins. Amy Bayorgeon with Bayorgeons' Meats scored second high game with a total of 229 and also totaled 610 for the series.

Mulford's Clothiers took two out of the three match games from Mueller Boots with totals of 872, 929 and 894 pins to 898, 844 and 872 pins for the Boots. Kaukauna Lumber Co. keglers and the U. S. Engineers did not bowl their scheduled match. Kalupas lost three straight to the Bankers. Bayorgeons' Meats dropped the match opener to the Combined Locks team with totals of 939 to 944 pins. They took the two remaining games with totals of 933 and 1,007 against 884 and 958 for the Combined Locks bowlers.

Bowling in the league will be continued Monday evening, Dec. 28. Kalupa Bakers will meet Combined Locks and the Bankers will meet Bayorgeons' at 7 o'clock. At 9 o'clock Mueller Boots clash with Kaukauna Lumber Co., and Mulfords engage the U. S. Engineers.

KAUKAUNA PERSONALS

Kaukauna—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Godfrey have gone to California where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. Frank Fernal, Mrs. Joseph Weisler and Mrs. Bert Roberts motored to Green Bay Tuesday afternoon.

R. H. McCarty, Charles Kalista, and Robert Squares are in Chicago attending a damage suit resulting from an accident on Highway 41 here early in the summer. The accident occurred at the railroad crossing about three miles north of Kaukauna.

START MOVING CABLES

Kaukauna—Workmen of the Wisconsin Telephone Co., are moving cables on Tobacnoir and Grignonsts. The work will take about two weeks to complete, the poles being moved with the cables to the rear of the residences along the two streets.

COUNCIL MEETS JAN. 5

Kaukauna—The next meeting of the Kaukauna common council will be held Tuesday, Jan. 5, according to L. C. Wolf, city clerk. Monthly business will be transacted.

BEGIN BANK CHECK

Kaukauna—Three members of the state banking department began their annual check at the bank of Kaukauna Monday morning. They are Fred C. Teske, J. C. Brown, and G. M. Matthews.

WANT FARMERS TO GROW ALFALFA SEED

County Agent, State Department Carry on Experiments Here

Whether Outagamie-co is adopted to growing of alfalfa for seed purposes is being determined by the state department of agriculture and Gustave A. Sell, county agricultural agent. The seed growing move was started by Prof. R. A. Moore of the state department some time ago and he has been conducting field tests throughout the state with the aid of county agents.

The past two years, 1930 and 1931, have brought considerable seed, according to reports to the Outagamie-co agent but the condition has been ascribed to the drought of the last two years. The year 1931 yield was not as good at 1930 because of heavy rains this fall.

In an effort to carry the work further in this county, Mr. Sell decided to make his office a county clearing house for alfalfa seed. Home grown seed growers will be listed at the agent's office and farmers who wish to experiment with the crop can purchase the county grown seed there.

FALL RAINS BROUGHT PASTURAGE RELIEF

BY W. F. WINSEY

In the drouth, short feed areas of northeastern Wisconsin, herds of dairy cattle are still out on pastures during the day.

The bountiful fall pastures and the fall hay crops produced by the fall rains have greatly relieved the shortage of feed on farms and made it possible for the large majority of farmers, hard hit by the drouth and grasshoppers, to keep their herds intact or to dispose of only the poorer grade of cows.

The fall pastures came in the form of volunteer crops of oats and barley and revived fields of permanent pastures. The fall hay crops came from old seedings of alfalfa that had had not done much during the summer but revived and grew rankly as a result of the fall rains. Crops of alfalfa hay were harvested as late as the middle of November which established a new record in this part of the state.

Four persons have been sentenced at Bremen, Germany, to imprisonment for spreading false rumors which started a run on the Bremen Savings bank. The sentences varied up to six weeks. A woman teacher found guilty of the same offense was fined $50.

RUBBISH COLLECTION TO BE MADE MONTHLY

Kaukauna—Beginning Jan. 1, the north side street department workmen will collect rubbish once a month, according to Thomas Reardon, north road commissioner. Rubbish should be placed in containers on the curbs, where workmen will pick them up. According to Joseph Kuehn, south road commissioner, the same methods will be adopted on the south side of the city.

FARMER COMPARES CONDITIONS TODAY WITH 35 YEARS AGO

Finds Rural Land Owners Had Better Chance to Make Money in Early Days

BY W. F. WINSEY

De Pere—On Monday, Casper Bittner, route 3, compared crops, prices, value of land, taxes, and chances for a farmer to succeed, of 36 years ago and the intervening years with those of the present time.

When he took possession of his farm of 265 acres, 36 years ago he said that he could see nothing but woods in every direction. He cleared the greater part of his land. Ten years ago he bought a neighboring 80 acres for one of his sons and since that purchase he has bought other farms of the same size for other sons. He helped in clearing on these farms.

Two crop failures in succession caused by drouth are the least of his troubles as he never had one before and he may never have one again. The low prices of farm commodities, the high prices of farm necessities and high farm taxes are his greatest difficulties. He sold two calves a few days ago for $9, one weighing 150 pounds and the other 130 pounds. Some time before that he sold 3 good cows for $65. He is offered three and one-fourth cents for pork live weight, and one and one-half cents for canner cows. He is getting $1.10 per hundred pounds for his milk. These are about all the farm products he has to sell. He declared, however, that he will sell no more cows at such low prices even if he is forced to buy feed.

Taxes Were $23

The first taxes he paid on 120 acres of his present 265 acre homestead was $23. The taxes now on the entire homestead are $275. One year he paid in taxes $809 on 320 acres of land. The high taxes that year was due to some extra road work, he said. His taxes have decreased somewhat since that year but not in proportion to the decrease in the value of the land and farm prices.

Formerly when the price of hides was 5 cents per pound he paid $1.25 a pair for work shoes that gave him all summer service. Now when the farmer gets two cents per pound for his hides, he is forced to pay from $3 to $4 for the same grade of work shoes. Formerly he could buy a grain binder for $113 that now costs him in the neighborhood of $240. All farm machinery has gone up in the same proportion and remained there.

When hides were worth 25 cents per pound, Mr. Bittner paid $85 for a good heavy work harness. A short time ago, one of his sons paid $55 for a light work harness when the farm prices of hides was 2 cents per pound.

In comparing his crops of last year with those of previous years, Mr. Bittner said he always had a large straw stack in his farm yard but that he has no stack this winter. Sixteen years ago he built a silo, 14 by 40 feet, and filled it each year and had a surplus of from 120 to 150 shocks of corn. This winter he has only 25 feet of silage and no surplus shocks.

Other years he stored in his mows, approximately 120 tons of hay yearly of which he sold a surplus of from 60 to 70 tons. This winter he has 25 tons in his mow as feed for 50 head of cattle.

Due to the summer drouth and a grasshopper invasion of his fields Mr. Bittner lost a 35-acre spring seeding of alfalfa, and all of his red clover seedings. As he has nothing left but old meadows, he is considering the planting of emergency pasture and hay crops.

SUGAR BEET PLANT COMPLETES ANNUAL MANUFACTURING RUN

$350,000 Paid to 2,000 Growers Throughout This Section of State

BY W. F. WINSEY

After finishing the season's run the Menominee Sugar Company shut down the Green Bay plant last week and is now cleaning up the plant.

During the run the company cut at the rate 830 tons daily, manufactured 115,000 one-hundred pound bags of sugar and 4,600 one-hundred-pound bags of dry beet pulp for dairy cattle. For the sugar beets used, the company paid 2,000 beet growers in two payments, the one on Nov. 15 and the other on Dec. 15, a total of $350,000. The company also paid the salaries of 180 men for 66 days' work in the plant during the season's run.

As a result of doing the work in the sugar plant and getting their wages the men say that they can support themselves through the winter if they are not able to obtain no other employment for some time. The best growers say that their crops of beets were the most profitable ones they raised on their farms the past year, and that if they can obtain contracts with the sugar company they will increase their acreages of beets next spring.

The yield of sugar beets was very fair last summer but the yield of sugar was below the usual yearly average owing to the heavy fall rains.

NEW CO-OP UNITS ARE BEING FORMED IN STATE

Madison—(AP)—Park Ames, secretary of the Wisconsin Pure Milk Products Cooperative, Monday said new units were being formed at Neillsville and Owen and that organization work was under way at Bloomer, Allenton, Fond du Lac, Brownlown, West Bend, and Appleton.

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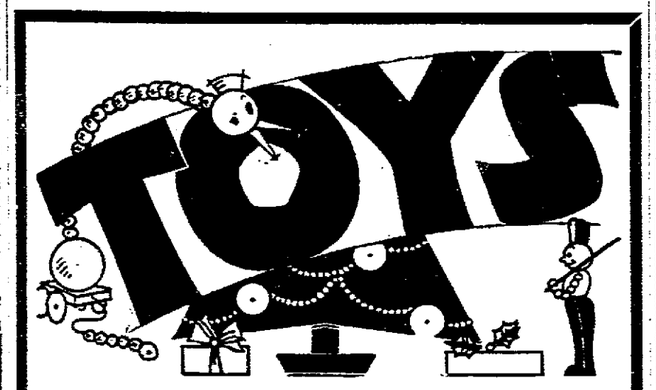

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Appleton Battles Manitowoc Shipbuilders Tonight At Armory

ORANGE ONE OF 2 UNDEFEATED TEAMS IN LOOP

West Green Bay Faces Fight With Oshkosh on Latter's Court

APPLETON high school basketball team will battle Manitowoc high school quintet tonight at armory G as it protects its claim to the Valley league title for the last time this year. The Orange has won two games in league competition this year and Manitowoc has lost two.

Coach Joseph Shields sent his proteges through their last drill Tuesday evening and now is ready for the first whistle tomorrow. The team is in good physical condition with every man thoroughly rested after last Friday evening's battle with Fond du Lac at the armory.

The startling lineup for Appleton will see Bobbie Rule and Ken Priebe working the forward positions, Bill Peotter will cavort at center and

PLAY NEENAH DEC. 30

Appleton and Neenah high school basketball teams will clash at Neenah, Wednesday, Dec. 30, it was said today by Coach Joseph Shields. The teams are natural rivals and their games usually attract record crowds and result in battles that set the fans talking for weeks afterwards.

Emmett Mortell and Joe Verrier will take care of the guard positions. The reserves will be Jim Murphy a guard and Howard Bowlby, forward.

Coach Rex Johns of Manitowoc has a peculiar outfit this season and the fact the team has lost two games should mean nothing. The Ships have dropped decisions to Fond du Lac and to East Green Bay, both squads having been defeated by Appleton. And that, on paper, should make the Ships easy for Appleton.

However, the invaders will show Langenkamp, center, a veteran from last year; Koebke, a forward who also performed last season; and Spindler another forward who won't be playing his first season.

The Ships usually start their season slow and easy, gradually swinging into stride. And if tomorrow night should happen to be one of those evenings there may be a lot of excitement.

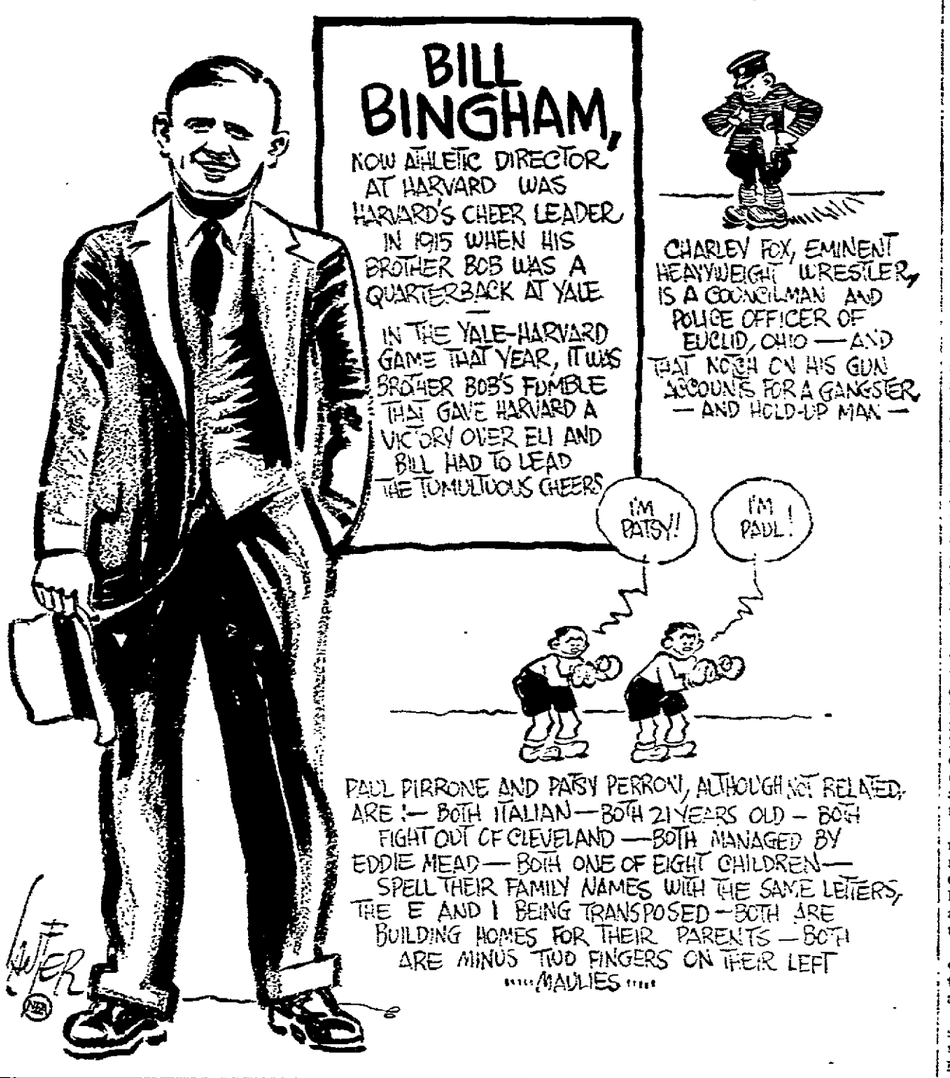
The preliminary game of the evening will show Appleton reserves and the S. O. Specials. The first game will begin about 7 o'clock and the second about 8:15.

In other conference games tonight West Green Bay will attempt to knock Oshkosh out of the undefeated class at Oshkosh. The West five lost a decision last week which removed it from the select circle and would like nothing better than to beat the Oshkosh five.

East Green Bay and Fond du Lac make the other conference game at Fondy. The Cardinal was defeated by Appleton last week and East the week before. East should win tonight by a narrow squeak.

Marinette and Sheboygan played their game Monday night with the latter five winning easily.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS ... By Laufer



CONNIE MACK CELEBRATES HIS BIRTHDAY

Veteran Names Ty Cobb, Mathewson as Greatest Players

BY EDWARD J. NEIL
Associated Press Sports Writer

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— Connie Mack, erect and keen as ever, entered his seventieth year today, noticing only that birthdays seem to come faster and the years to shrink as time rolls along.

"I can't believe it," he said. "I don't feel as though I'm 69. I have just as much work to do as ever. More I guess."

And he smiled so that his thin priestly face, wrinkled all over by the 47 years he has been at baseball, he has seen the game develop from a rowdy pastime to a definite rules game, heroic, comic and tragic figures, into a big business and a national sport. Watched the mighty men of the past and present come and go.

Watched Changes

He has watched the rules change, the ball change, the type of men and their attitude toward the game change. He has stood through nearly half a century for the finest things in the sport, and baseball, in turn, has been kind to him. He is part owner of the Athletics, up to last year champions of the world for two straight years under a highly successful manager, but they are contending that "the time for harvesting is most today." He said this the eagerness of the contending New teams in either the National or the American league could not be discussed today as a certainty to hurt any other team.

"There were great players in old days just as there are today and the changes in continuous prevent any real contrast of their abilities.

"There was King Kelly, for instance, a great catcher when Boston bought him in 1887 for the unheard of price of $10,000 and I'll never forget how he could run bases and how slyly he stole home one day on a double steal I was catching for Washington. There was a man on first and Kelly on third.

"The man on first went down to second, I threw out Kelly—he was the famous 'King Kelly, slide'—started from there. I had the ball 30 feet ahead of him on the return but he hollered 'watch it' to the umpire and came in. I didn't come near to tagging him.

Still Have Great Players

"Today we have fellows like 'Pepper' Martin, who dominates a world series show, and Ben Chapman, the Yankee who stole more bases last year than my whole team. Babe Ruth brought in the day of hitting and some of the finesse is gone.

That led the discussion down to the great players of all times and Connie willingly dragged out his selections.

"Ty Cobb," he said, "was the greatest player of all, and there never was a pitcher to compare with Christy Mathewson. of those two I am certain. You can argue about the rest."

And here is food for his arguments:

Ty Cobb, Tigers, right field.

Tris Speaker, Red Sox, center field.

Babe Ruth, Yankees, left field.

George Sisler, Browns, first base.

Eddie Collins, White Sox, second base.

Honus Wagner, Pirates, shortstop.

Jimmy Collins, Red Sox, third base.

Christy Mathewson, Giants, pitcher.

Buck Ewing, Giants, catcher.

69 Years Old

CONNIE MACK

SPECIALS, THEATRES WIN GAMES IN O. B. BASKETBALL LEAGUE

A. I. R. Quintet Cops from Betas When Latter Team Forfeits

ONLY two regular games were played in the Office Boy league at the Y. M. C. A. last night. The Warner Theatres won one of the contests, 19 and 10, the Valley Sports being losers, the other game went to the Sam Onustein Specials by 11 and 6 score, the Delta being losers.

The third game of the evening was to have been a battle between the A. I. R. team and the Betas. The latter five forfeited, however, when they couldn't have their entire team on deck. The A. I. R. then played and defeated a pick up aggregation.

Sam Onustein's five found the going easy when the Deltas failed to connect with the hoop. Emerich, Gechler and Arnold scored for the Specials in the first half and the team led 7 and 2. In the second half Sanders hit twice and Gechler added a free throw and field goal. Krautch made the only Delta field goal.

Valley Sports turned in a good game against Warner theatre quintet but not good enough to win. The first half ended 8 and 4 for the Theatres when Lessebourg, Pernke, Moll and Gaudette added field goals to the second half the Theatres added three field goals and five free throws.

Saturday afternoon two more games will be played by the youngsters. The Indians will clash in the first game and the Braves and Wolverines in the second.

The box scores of Tuesday's games:

Warner Theatres—19	FG.	FT	PF.
[illegible]	[illegible]	0	0
Pernke, f.	1	0	0
[illegible]	3	2	0
[illegible], g.	2	0	0
Sorenson, g.	0	3	0
[illegible]	0	0	0
	7	5	0

Valley Sports—10	FG.	FT.	PF.
[illegible]	3	0	0
[illegible]	1	0	[illegible]
[illegible]	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	[illegible]
[illegible]	1	0	1
[illegible]	0	0	2
	5	0	[illegible]

S. O. S.—11	FG.	FT.	PF.
[illegible]	1	1	1
[illegible]	2	1	2
Arnold, f.	1	1	0
Emerich, g.	0	0	[illegible]
Sanders, g.	2	0	2
	6	2	6

Delta Hi-Y—6	FG.	FT.	PF.
[illegible]	[illegible]	1	2
[illegible], f.	[illegible]	[illegible]	1
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	0
[illegible], g.	1	0	2
[illegible], g.	0	2	2
	[illegible]	4	5

A. I. R.—20	FG.	FT.	PF.
[illegible], f.	2	0	1
[illegible]	3	0	[illegible]
[illegible]	1	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible], g.	0	0	[illegible]
[illegible]	2	0	1
	[illegible]	0	3

Pick-Ups—11	FG.	FT.	PF.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	5	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible], g.	1	0	[illegible]
[illegible], g.	1	0	1
	5	1	1

[illegible] conference meeting [illegible] adopted from [illegible] [illegible] this [illegible]

[illegible] Alabama [illegible] this week.

ST. MARY CAGE QUINT BEATS WILSON HIGH

St. Mary eighth grade basketball team defeated the Wilson junior high ninth grade team, 23 and 8 in a game staged at St. Mary gym Tuesday afternoon. The score at the half was 17 and 2 for the St. Mary team.

Members of the winning squad were Leo Martell guard, Elmer Dupree forward, Richard Murphy guard, Pete Jones center, and Herbert Crabb forward.

OSHKOSH FORWARD LEADS CAGE SCORERS

Bill Peotter, Appleton Center, Second, According to Figures

Dubester, Oshkosh [illegible] led the Valley conference [illegible] against Marinette last night [illegible] Valley [illegible] this week. He has [illegible] field goals and three from the [illegible] for the season on a total of 14 points.

Bill Peotter of Appleton ranks second with 17 points. Bill [illegible] on three field goals and [illegible] has six all [illegible] He also has five free throws.

The scoring records [illegible]

	FG	FT	PF
Dubester, Oshkosh	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peotter, Appleton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mizel, East	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
R. Wolf, West	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Troeller, Sheboygan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stralow, West Bays	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Miller, Oshkosh	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ladner, Fondy	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Langenkamp, Appl.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible], West	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wolf, Fondy	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
K. Lessebourg, Marinette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Prahl, Appleton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cormier, West	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lubasch, East	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Schulte, [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Schlafer, West	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pfeifer, Marinette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hoffkes, East Bays	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sell, East Bays	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Malloy, East	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Williamson, Marinette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gaul, Sheboygan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Graunke, Sheboygan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ehlert, Sheboygan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C. Lange, [illegible]	6	[illegible]	[illegible]
Schelin, Sheboygan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Steffen, Marinette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
R. Wolf, West	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Murphstad, [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Hal Rogin, first baseman of New York Pennsylvania league experience, has been acquired by the Atlanta Crackers.

APPLETON GUARD "5" BEATS CLINTONVILLE

Overcome Lead in Second Half and Win by Point; Play at Armory

Appleton National Guard company basketball team beat the Clintonville Guards Tuesday evening at Armory G, the score being 15 and 14. The invading five took the lead in the contest and was ahead 9 and 3 at half time. In the second half the Appleton defense tightened and held Clintonville to two field goals and three fouls while getting one field goal and a free toss in getting five field goals and a gift shot.

Last week the two teams played game at Clintonville, Clintonville [illegible] the winning [illegible]

The score of the game:

C. O. D.—15	fg.	ft.	pf.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hamm, f.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Buck, [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Boyer, g.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Thielke, g.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

CLINTONVILLE—14			
A. Smith, f.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Schmidt, f.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Strong, f.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Engman, c.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
M. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nelson, g.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
M. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	5	[illegible]	[illegible]

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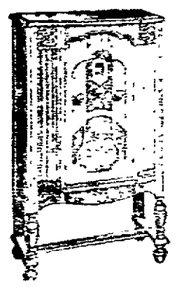

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U. S. C., Army Wins Over Notre Dame Considered Greatest Sports Upsets

(Note: This is the third of a series of four stories featuring the views of the nation's sports editors and writers on the athletic high-spots of 1931. The accompanying story is in response to the Associated Press query: "What was the biggest upset or surprise of 1931 in sports?" Tomorrow the poll on the year's biggest news story will be discussed.)

BY ALAN GOULD
Associated Press Sports Editor

NEW YORK —(AP)— The biggest surprise of the year in sports was the defeat of Notre Dame's football team but the country's newspaper experts, polled by the Associated Press can't agree on whether Southern California or Army sprang the biggest upset of the Irish.

The downfall of the fighting Irish, after a winning streak extending three years, was labelled the big shock of 1931 by 60 of the 131 sports writers and editors contributing their opinions to the national poll. Of this number, however, 31 picked the Army's 12-0 victory over Notre Dame as the more surprising while 29 others named Southern California's last period 16-14 triumph.

Previous balloting already has stamped Southern California's win as the "outstanding team achievement of 1931" without the element of surprise being taken into consideration.

28 Events Listed

Upsets were scattered all over the premises, the poll of opinion indicated, with no less than 28 separate events listed as the most surprising of the year. They ranged all the way from the big vote on Notre Dame's defeat to a single ballot for so momentous an event as the end of Hobart's three-year football losing streak.

"If you want, literally, the biggest upset of 1931," wrote one sports editor, "it was without doubt the big splash caused by Kaye Don overturning in the Harmsworth trophy speedboat race with Gar Wood. The echoes of this upset were heard 'round the world."

The biggest upset in baseball was at the expense of the Athletics in the world series, named by 13 experts as the leading surprise package of the year. In the scattering of votes cast on other baseball topics, the collapse of the Cubs, comeback of Burleigh Grimes, and Dick Coffman's 1-0 shutout victory over Lefty Grove, ending the latter's record winning streak, were listed.

Tennis furnished a conspicuous upset, backed by nine votes, in the British Davis cup team's semi-final victory over the United States. Twenty Grand's setback by Mate in the Arlington classic was apparently considered the turf's biggest surprise.

Max Schmeling's defeat of Bill Stribling and Mickey Walker's ability to get a draw with Jack Sharkey were listed as the boxing headliners. But Navy's upset crew victory over Cornell didn't get a single vote in the surprise column.

The results of the poll on the year's biggest sports upset:

Notre Dame's football defeat (by Army)	31
Notre Dame's football defeat (by Southern California)	29
Cardinals' victory over Athletics in world series	13
British Davis cup victory over United States	9
Max Schmeling's knockout of Bill Stribling	6
Southern Californians 60-0 victory over Georgia	6
Mickey Walker's draw with Jack Sharkey	5
Francis Ouimet's golfing comeback	4
Twenty Grand's defeat by Mate	3
Al Singer's knockouts (by Battalino and Canzoneri)	3
Burleigh Grimes' comeback in world series	3
Kaye Don's defeat in Harmsworth trophy speed race	3
Oregon's football victory over New York university	3
St. Mary's football victory over Southern California	2
Tom Creavy's victory in P. G. A. championship	2
Bat Battalino's rise as first-class fistic champion	2
Ellsworth Vines' rise to tennis heights	1
Princeton's football collapse	1
Hobart's ending of three year football losing streak	1
Athletics' ability to win pennant despite age & injuries	1
General reaction against college football	1
Don Moe's failure to qualify for U. S. amateur golf	1
Collapse of Chicago Cubs	1
Purdue's victory over Northwestern	1
Dick Coffman's 1-0 shutout of Lefty Grove, ending streak	1
Carl Comer's one-mile victory over Ray Conger	1
Billie Burke's victory in open golf championship	1
Failure of stars to qualify in U. S. amateur golf	1

BOLSTERED INFIELD GIVES YANKS HOPES OF GREAT SEASON

Jack Saltzgaver Expected to Supplant Lazzeri at Second Base

(Note:—This is another of a series on major league baseball shakeups and prospects for 1932).

BY GAYLE TALBOT
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK—(AP)—Having spent a bundle of cash to bolster a wobbly infield, the New York Yankees should present a stronger front in the 1932 American league race.

Jack Saltzgaver, brilliant young second baseman from St. Paul, and Frank Crosetti, who brought a fancy price tag with him from San Francisco, are the pair on whom Manager Joe McCarthy is banking to hoist his troupe higher than third place.

Soltzgaver's introduction to a Yankee uniform, it is predicted, will mark the passing of the illustrous Tony Lazzeri at second base.

Crosetti is destined to fit in either at shortstop or third base. If he makes the grade at short, Lyn Lary will be shifted to the hot corner.

Babe, Lou Supply Punch

Lou Gehrig and Babe Ruth, again will supply the big punch. Ben Chapman, the league's leading base stealer, promises to give the fans more and better thrills.

The consuming subject of the Bambino's new contract is not bothering club officials. They expect him to sign for less than $80,000 and enjoy another fine year.

With Ruth, Chapman and Earle Combs holding down the regular outfield posts and Sammy Byrd, Myril Hoag and Allen Cooke in reserve, the Ruppertmen offer a splendidly balanced set of gardners.

The catching staff, with Bill Dickey and Arndt Jorgens again ready to divide the work, leaves McCarthy nothing to worry about.

Vernon Gomez, the cool Castilian who last year in his first full major league season was the second most effective pitcher in the American league has officially been appointed the club's "ace" for 1932.

He should receive some valuable help from Charlie Ruffing, George Pipgras, Gordon Rhodes, Ed Wells, Henry Johnson, Herb Pennock and a trio of newcomers, John Murphy, John Allen and Walter Brown.

Allen, recalled from Toronto, was the International league's leading pitcher last year and looks ready for faster company.

OHIO CAGERS SHOW POWER, BEAT YALE

Chicago —(AP)— Ohio State University has moved up as a prospective contender for the 1931-32 Western conference championship.

The Buckeyes, with Bob Coburn, sophomore forward scoring [illegible] goals, defeated Yale, 38 to [illegible] last night, for their third straight victory.

JAPS LACK HITTING STRENGTH OF YANK NINES, GEHRIG SAYS

New York—(AP)—The Japanese are making rapid strides in baseball but they have some distance yet to go before they can rival Americans, says Lou Gehrig of the New York Yankees. Gehrig, was one of the major league group which recently completed a tour of the Orient.

"The players have progressed marvelously in a defensive way," he said. "But they lack the hitting strength and power of the American players."

And then there were the carrier pigeons in the press box at Tokyo. They were one of the most amazing features of the trip to Gehrig.

"Somebody would hit a triple or a homer with men on bases," he remarked and before the cheering had died down the pigeons would be on their way to the newspaper offices with a message about the hit."

BEARS WALLOP DRUGS IN PRACTICE CONTEST

Appleton Bears and the Sonnenberg Drugs of Neenah and Menasha, both members of the newly formed Badger Basketball league clashed in a practice game last night with the Bears winning easily, 32 and 13. Kreiio with three field goals and five free throws was high scorer for the winners.

The box score:

Bears—32	FG.	FT.	PF.
Grishaber, f.	1	0	1
Verstegen, f.	2	0	0
Kneip, f.	3	5	2
Verbrick, c.	3	0	0
Lorscorl, g.	4	0	0
Koss, g.	1	0	1
	14	5	4

Sonnenberg Drugs—13	FG.	FT.	PF.
Neefe, f.	1	1	1
Asmus, f.	0	0	0
Green, c.	2	[illegible]	2
Olson, g.	1	[illegible]	0
Berry, g.	1	0	1
	5	3	4

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

Indianapolis — Tracy Cox, Indianapolis, knocked out Jimmie Watts, Atlanta, Ga., (8) Andy Kelett, Terre Haute knocked out Harold Anderson, Detroit (2).

Anderson, Ind. — Otto Atterson, Terre Haute, and Johnny Fagg, Clinton, drew (10) Glen Nidy, Terre Haute, won on foul from Gene Lewis, Kokomo.

Portlar I, Ore — [illegible] Portland (1).

Basketball Last Night

Catholic U. (Washington) 27, Long Island U. 46.

Yale 20, Ohio State 33.

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Brigham Young 31, Wyoming U. 61.

Utah 25, Colorado college 35.

Sports Question Box

Q.—Is it legal for a league to be organized and not be included in organized baseball?

A.—It is but original baseball does not respect contracts, unless they are personal contracts, that are made by any league outside of its own associations.

Q.—Is there any immediate possibility of lengthening the home run to 300 feet?

A.—No.

Arlett, Blake Hard Luck Boys Of The Major Leagues

BY JOHN B. FOSTER
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NEW YORK— (AP) — Two hard luck ball players—so other players occasionally refer to them—have been transferred by the Philadelphia Nationals to class AA clubs.

One is Buzz Arlett, outfielder, formerly of Oakland, Calif., and the other is Sheriff Blake, a pitcher who was with the Chicago Cubs before he was sent to Philadelphia.

Arlett was a powerful batter when he was on the coast and long before he was sent to Philadelphia he had been "scouted" by several major clubs. He joined Philadelphia last spring and, according to his own story, never seemed to get a start.

"I don't know why it was that I couldn't hit that ball as I did in California," he said, "but I just couldn't. I reckon the Phillies thought they had drawn a blank. I was one California player who didn't shine like so many of the boys who have gone from that state to the east."

Arlett looked well enough in the 121 games that he played last season, as his percentage was around .311, and he made 16 home runs in a season when the home run output decreased. Philadelphia then traded him to Baltimore for Sheriff, looking for more activity in the field and on the bases. Arlett will bat high in the International league and Baltimore does not seem to have lost anything by the trade if Arlett comes east. He may ask some Pacific club to trade for him so that he can return to the coast.

The Phillies have sent Blake to Columbus, Ohio. Blake is one of those pitchers who always seem to be on the verge of becoming a great success and fail to meet expectations. When he went to Chicago he had made a good reputation at Rochester. But he couldn't win for the Cubs. He had a share of success but not the kind of success that Chicago wanted.

The Cubs asked waivers on him and Philadelphia took him. Blake did not do so badly with Philadelphia last season but the Phillies appear to have become convinced that he cannot win for them and have sent him into the American association. He may be a success when he gets back to a class AA team.

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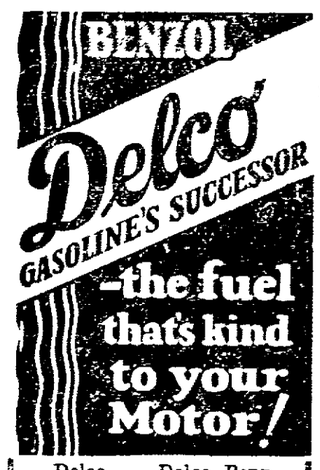

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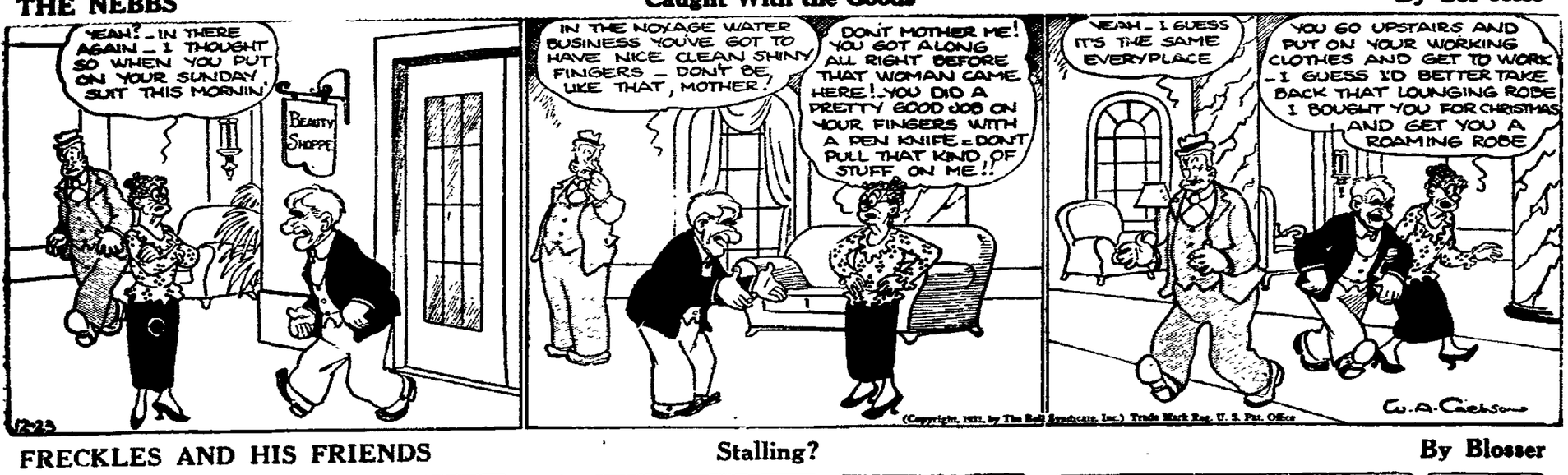

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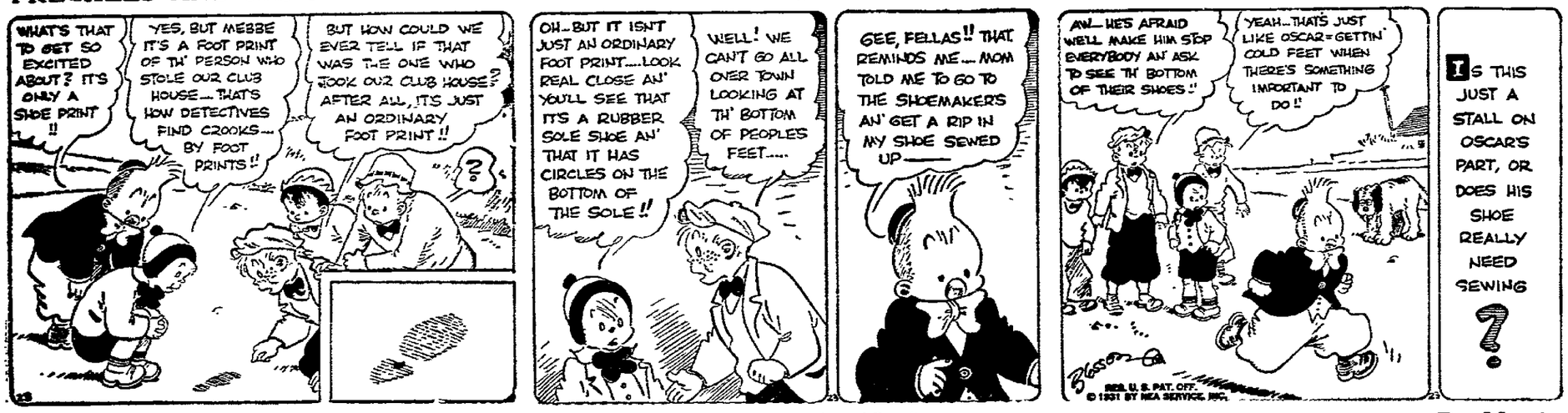

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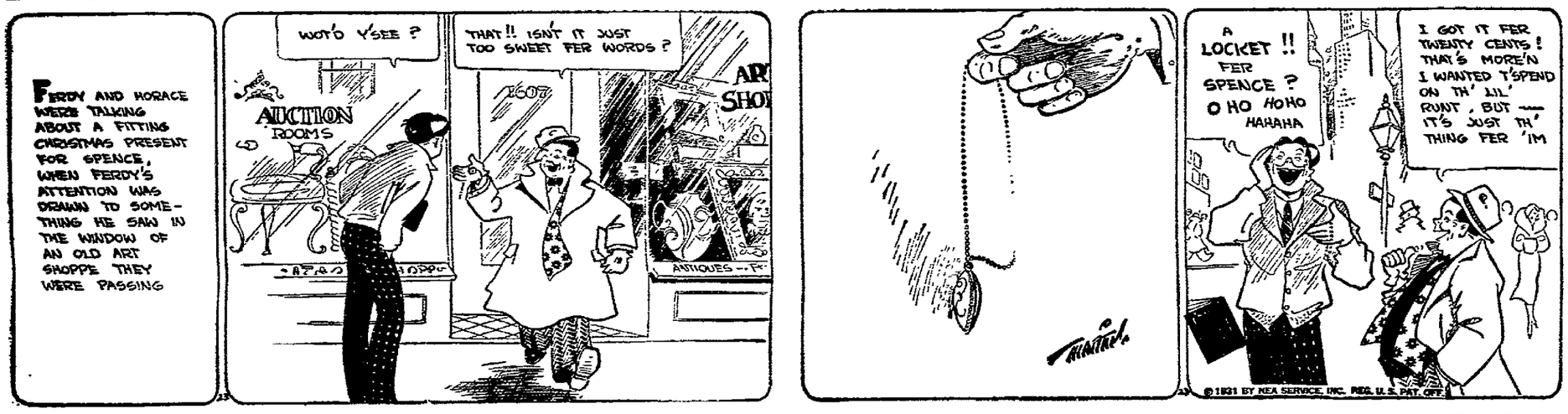

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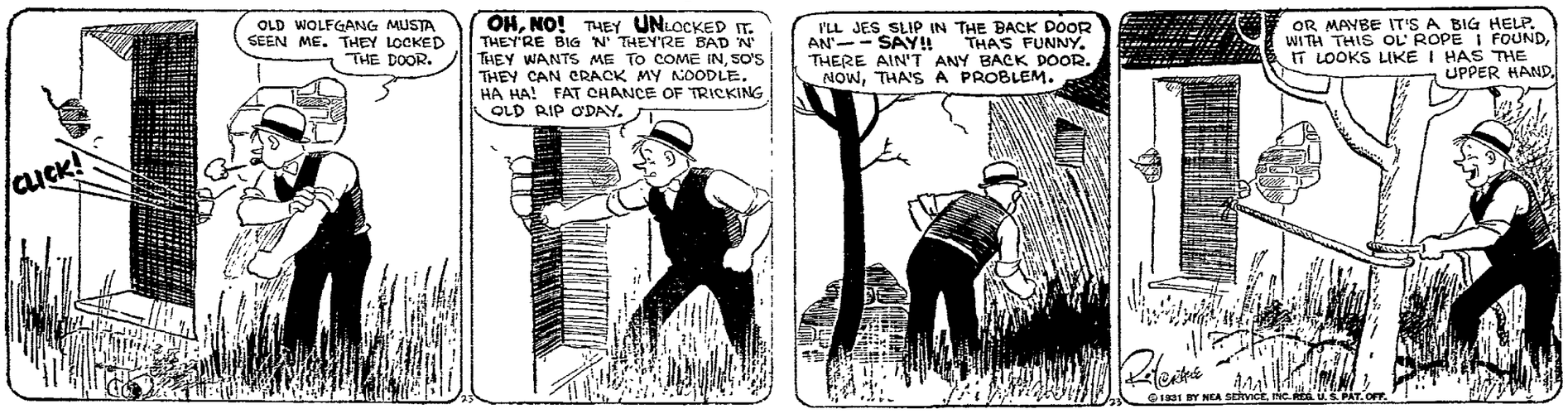

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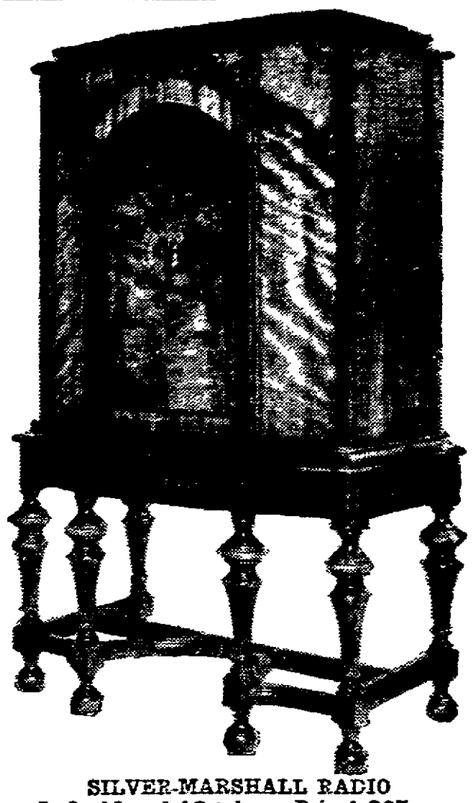

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SUNSET PASS
by Zane Grey

SYNOPSIS: A beautiful girl and a mystery at Sunset Pass have drawn Trueman Rock there, under the pretext of looking for work. Rock fell in love with Thiry Preston when he first met her, and his intention now is to find some excuse to stay near her. Trouble threatens him in two directions. Ash Preston, Thiry's brother, has the reputation of a killer and resents any attention that is paid to Thiry. When Rock arrives at Sunset Pass, Ash warns him that he would better leave. There are also mysterious rumors that Gage Preston, Ash's father and the head of the outfit, is mixed up in cattle rustling. Rock was forced to leave Wagontongue six years before because of a gun fight, and he does not want to get in trouble now. But the mystery excites him, and he is determined to help Thiry. Gage Preston offers Rock a job.

Chapter 14

THIRY'S ACCUSATION

MRS. PRESTON appeared a worthy mate for this virile cattleman.

"Ma, this is Trueman Rock, who's come to ride fer me," announced Preston. Then he presented Rock to Alice, a girl of sixteen. She was shy, but curious and friendly. Rock took instantly to the barefooted, big-eyed children, Lucy and Burr.

"Where's Thiry?" asked the rancher.

'She's ironin', Dad,' replied Alice.

"Wal, didnt she hear me call?"

"Reckon she did, Pa, for you'd most woke the dead," replied his wife, and going to the door of the second cabin she called, "Thiry, we've company, an' Pa wants you."

Rock caught a low protesting voice that came from inside.

"Nonsense, daughter," replied the mother. "You don't look so awful. Anyway, you can't get out of it."

Whereupon Thiry appeared in the door in a long blue apron that scarcely hid her graceful symmetry. Her sleeves were rolled up to the elbow of shapely arms. She came out reluctantly, with troubled eyes and a little frown. She showed no surprise. She had seen him through the window.

"Good afternoon, Miss Preston," greeted Trueman, swinging but little of the pleasure that consumed him.

"Oh, it's Mr. Rock, our new grocery clerk," she responded, with manner and tone that was a little beyond Trueman. 'How do you do? And aren't you lost way out here?'

"Reckon I was, but there's hope of me gettin' back on the trail."

"Hey, Rock, what's thet about you gein' a grocery clerk? I reckoned I was hirin' a cowboy."

Whereupon Rock had to explain that he had been keeping store for Sol Winter when Thiry happened in. Thiry did not share in the laughter. Rock thought he saw the gray eyes quicken and darken as she glanced swiftly from him to her father.

"Thiry, he's going to handle the boys," replied Preston, as if in answer to a mute query.

"You are a—a cowboy, then," she said to Rock, struggling to hide confusion or concern. "You don't know the job you've undertaken. . . . What did my brother Ash say?—I saw you talking with him."

"He was tellin' me your dad would sure give me a job. . . . And that you'd be glad," replied Trueman, with the most smiling and disarming assurance.

"Yes, he was," retorted Thiry, blushing at the general laugh.

"You're right, Miss Preston," returned Rock, ruefully. "Your brother was not—well, quite taken with my visit.

"What did he say?"

"He told me you didn't see every rider who came along. And that your father was not home. And that——"

'We apologize for Ash's rudeness,' interposed Thiry, hurriedly. She had not been able to meet Rock's gaze.

"Never mind, Rock. It's nothin' to be hurt about," added Preston. 'Ash is a queer, unsociable feller. But you're shore welcome to the rest of us. . . . Thiry, if you never heard of True Rock, I want to tell you he's been one of the greatest riders of this range. An' I need him bad, in more ways than one. An' I can tell you somethin' thet'd make you glad he happened along."

'Oh, Dad I—I didn't mean—I—of course I'm glad if you are," she returned, hurriedly. "Please excuse me now. I've so much work."

Somehow Trueman divined that she was not glad, or if she were it was owing to her father's need, and then it was not whole-hearted. The knowledge fell upon him with unaccountable dismay so much so that he could scarcely conceal it. But the youngsters saved him this time. They sidled over to him and began to ply him with questions about the white horse, which had captivated their eyes.

'What you call him?' asked Burr.

"Well, the fact is I haven't named him yet," replied Rock, surprised at the omission. "Can you think of a good one?'

"Sure. Call him Whiteface or Lonemane."

'Not so bad. What do you say, Lucy?'

'I like that Thiry calls him," she said, shyly. "Oh we've seen him often.'

"Your sister has a name for him? Well that's nice. Tell me. Maybe I'll like it," said Trueman, with a feeling of duplicity.

"Egypt,' announced Lucy, impressively. "Isn't that just grand?"

"Egypt"—Oh I see. Because he's like one of the white stallions of the Arabians. I think it's pretty good. . . . We'll call him Egypt."

"That'll tickle Thiry. I'll tell her," cried the child, joyously, running into the kitchen.

Rock continued, while letting Burr drag him round to look at the antlers of deer and elk, to catch a glimpse of Thiry at her work. She was alone in there for Lucy had come running out. Rock thought she looked very sweet and domestic and agreeable. On the way back round to the porch he stopped a moment to have another glimpse. This time she glanced up and caught him.

Rock essayed to smile and pass on to make his action seem casual. But her gaze held him stockstill and it was certain he could not find a ready smile. She ceased her ironing and transfixed him with great eyes of wonder and reproach, almost resentment. She accused him, silently, of coming. He had brought her more trouble. Rock was so roused that he forgot himself and returned her look with all the amaze and entreaty he felt.

"Come, Rock, let me show you the ranch I called Preston. We're shore some proud of it."

"You ought to be. I've seen a sight of ranches but this one is the finest," returned Rock.

'Wal, we throwed up a big cabin," Preston said, 'an' we all lived in it for a while. Next I tore thet cabin down an' built the double one, an' this one hyar, which Ash has to himself. He won't sleep with nobody.

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Rock learns more about Preston's business on Monday, but he finds a new puzzle.

Sez Hugh:

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BRIDGE BATTLE IS MARKED BY MANY SETBACKS

Culbertson Keeps Margin of 10,705 Points in 'War' With Lenz

BY TOM O'NEIL

New York —(AP)— Ely Culbertson and Theodore A. Lightner move to the Waldorf tonight, 10,705 points ahead, for the second half of a 150-rubber match between a team representing the Culbertson system of contract bridge and Sidney S. Lenz and Oswald Jacoby, playing the Lenz system.

Second best in the matter of penalties in the eleventh and final session at the Chatham, ending early today, Culbertson and Lightner lost 415 points and five of nine rubbers. The rubber standing of the series became 42 for Culbertson's side and 36 for Lenz and Jacoby, the points 70,255 and 59,550 respectively.

Culbertson and Lightner were penalized 2,600 points during the session compared with 2,200 for their rivals. One set of 900 came at once against Culbertson, another of 600. Lightner also went down 600 in a lumb. In a futile effort to save the last rubber of the session the side lost 1,250 points in three straight hands. Several times during the session Culbertson was more than 13,000 points plus.

Lenz remarked that his opponents were fortunate in not being vulnerable when they stepped out. Culbertson congratulated himself that his loss was not greater. He thought his opponents grossly underbid on several occasions through the faults of their system.

As an example when his side had not scored in Rubber 78 and had suffered heavily it got a game at four hearts although Lenz and Jacoby could have had a laydown for four spades, game and rubber. Owing to high cards holdings in Lightner's hand the four spades probably would have been doubled. Quite a swing was saved right there. Here is the hand, No. 473:

Lenz (North)
S—K J 10 8 7 5
H—None
D—K 9 4 2
C—J 10 5

Culbertson (West) / Lightner (East) Dealer
S—4 / S—3
H—A 10 7 5 / H—K Q J 9
D—10 8 5 / D—A Q 7
C—Q 8 7 3 / C—A K 9 6 2

Jacoby (South)
S—A Q 9 6 2
H—8 6 4 3 2
D—J 6
C—4

The bidding: East one club; south pass; west two clubs; north pass; east three hearts; south pass; west four hearts; all pass. The opening lead was the deuce of hearts by south. At spades Jacoby and Lenz would have lost one club and two diamonds.

Experts' Findings

Each side succeeded at a little slam. Lenz and Jacoby were set in trying another. Culbertson blamed the original one bid of the Lenz system. Lenz said Jacoby should have stopped short of slam. Slam was possible on three other occasions for Lenz and Jacoby.

On Hand 462 a psychic bid by Culbertson scared his rivals from a slam effort. In a contract for four spades, Jacoby took all the tricks. The hand:

Lenz, North)
S—8 7 4 2
H—A J 7 5
D—A J 3
C—A 2

Culbertson (West) / Lightner (East) Dealer
S—J 9 / S—K
H—None / H—K Q 9 8 6 3 2
D—Q 9 8 7 6 5 2 / D—4
C—Q J 10 4 / C—9 7 5 3

Jacoby (South)
S—A Q 10 6 5 3
H—10 4
D—K 10
C—K 8 6

The bidding: East pass; south one spade; west one no trump; north double; east pass; south pass; west two diamonds; north four spades; all pass. Culbertson opened with the diamond seven.

Culbertson's bid of no trump without a heart in his hand and nothing high gave him revenge for a previous psychic bid by Jacoby which kept Culbertson's side in a below-game contract in diamonds when game at no trump was easy.

Each side during the session had a chance to use its distinctive original two bid and each resulted in a game contract in a major suit.

BANK BILL PASSED BY BADGER SENATE

Measure Expected to Help Reorganize Many Wisconsin Banks

Madison—(AP)—The senate Tuesday passed a bill which, its author, Senator O. S. Loomis, Mauston, said will assist in the reorganization of some 15 to 183 Wisconsin banks.

The bill permits the state to give withdrawal waivers in such banks which seek to reorganize and which have custody of public monies. It was adopted, 28 to 0, and sent to the assembly.

Loomis explained that under the present law governing reorganization of banks, waivers must be obtained from 90 per cent of the depositors and that in some cases where the state deposits exceed 10 per cent it has been almost impossible to get the necessary waivers.

"Some 15 or 18 banks would now like to be reorganized, I understand but can not because the state's share is so large," Loomis said.

Previous rulings by the attorney general's office have held that the state has no right to issue withdrawal waivers. The Loomis bill provides that authority but sets up protective provisions where the state deposits exceed $50,000 and are covered by surety companies.

Bridge Experts To Change Their Battleground Tonight

New York — (AP)—Ely Culbertson and Sidney S. Lenz slipped past the half-way mark of their bridge battle.

Lenz yawned. Culbertson remarked that the whole affair was "getting a little boring." Theodore Lightner looked up from his cards and said, "Well, well." Oswald Jacoby adjusted his necktie to a more comfortable position on his Adams apple.

Chicken a la king changed into chicken a la Maryland and everybody was happy that tonight will see a change of scenery with the war moved over to Mr. Lenz's adopted home grounds at the Waldorf-Astoria.

When the session was over and people began telling Challenger Culbertson what a nice host he had been he raised the point that he was host to everybody but his opponents and that, by all the honors in the deck, he would not be guest to his opponents in the new theater of battle.

"How," he asked aptly, "can I tell my opponent to go to the devil if I am his guest?"

The experts couldn't answer that one, and so they moved on into Mr. Lenz's quarters to ask what festivities he planned as introduction to his host-half of the match.

"Heh? Festivities?" he said with raised eyebrows, "there aren't going to be any festivities or any other foolishness. We'll sit right down and get to playing—and with the change in scenery I wouldn't be a bit surprised if there would be a change in luck."

Then, back to Mr. Culbertson. When would Mrs. Culbertson go back into the match? The first playing day after New Year's day. And how about the proposal for a one night stand in a theater for the sake of the unemployed?

He broke down and admitted that, because of the urging of Mrs. David Sarnoff and Mrs. Frank A. Vanderlip, the theater performance is practically assured. He planned he said. he said, to take up the matter of technical arrangements—an electric score and playing board, a glass cage and a theater—today. There would be loud speakers, too, so bridge fans who desire to pay money for unemployment relief could hear the bidding and the arguments.

He also took up the matter of reported rivalry between himself and Lenz.

Once, last night, he told Lenz:

"You are going down with flying colors, Sidney, but you are going down!"

On the Air Tonight

(By the Associated Press)

John Philip Sousa and his band will present another concert at 7:30 p. m. this evening. A quartet also will be heard on this program, to be broadcast by NBC stations KYW, WTMJ, KSTP and WEBC.

"Swanee Ribber" and De Camptown Races" will be sung by a male quartet, appearing on a program at 7:30 p. m. with Joseph Pasternack's orchestra. WLS, WLW and WJR of an NBC chain will carry the program.

"Good Times Are Here When Babe's Near" and "What Did You Do To Me?" are among the vocal entertainment the Boswell Sisters will provide at 6:30 p. m. over WCCO, WISN and WXYZ of the Columbia system.

Another dramatic program in the series, "Adventures of Sherlock Holmes," will be presented at 8 p. m. over NBC stations WMAQ WLW and WJR.

The Columbia symphony orchestra, conducted by Howard Barlow, will offer a concert at 9:30 p. m. which will include the selections "Die Fledermaus" and overture by Strauss, and "To a Wild Rose," by MacDowell-Barlow. A Columbia network, including WISN, WXYZ and WCCO will broadcast the program.

A male chorus will sing "The Frost King" by Hawley and "Wid De Moon" by Cook at 7:45 p. m. over Columbia stations WISN and WCCO.

Nathaniel Shilkret's orchestra, assisted by Gladys Rice, sporano, will present a half hour of entertainment at 8:30 p. m. over NBC stations WMAQ, WTMJ, WIBA and KSTP.

Thursday's Features

Sistine choir at Rome over NBC stations WENR and WWJ at 8:30 p. m.

"A Christmas Carol," by Charles Dickens, over Columbia stations. WISN and WABC at 10 p. m.

Madame Schumann-Heink and Rudy Vallee over NBC stations WTMJ, WMAQ, KSTP and WEBC at 7 p. m.

Who's News Today

BY LEMUEL F. PARTON
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New York—The chairman of the house district of Columbia committee is always known as the "mayor of Washington." So that was where Mrs. Mary T. Norton was headed when she came out of the kitchen in 1924, and got herself elected representative from New Jersey. She has been a competent congresswoman and today is the first woman to become head of a congressional legislative group.

Mrs. Norton's husband, Robert F. Norton, in the cooperage business in New York City, didn't like it when she ran for congress, but she was determined about it and soon proved herself not only a handy politician but an efficient and intelligent legislator. She is one of the most aggressive and articulate foes of the Volstead Act. She splits with the national women's party on uniform legislation for the sexes, maintaining women should hold gains, such as the eight-hour law, wherever and whenever they can. She is active in furtherance of humane legislation, defends the rights of private and parochial schools, and fights birth control.

Mrs. Norton is rather large—a comely woman with coal black eyes and jet black hair. She speaks easily and fluently, and always extemporaneously. After the death of an only child she devoted herself to day nurseries and welfare work. This led her into a widening interest in public affairs—sent her to congress and made her "mayor of Washington." She weekends at home.

De Musset, in his dark attic room somewhere on the left bank, was offered a sunlit mansion on the Rue De Rennes by a wealthy patron. He refused it. Poetry bloomed in seclusion, he said. Edward Arlington Robinson, whom many regard as America's greatest poet, is likewise unique in his age in refusing to move from an attic to a pent house. Observing his sixty-second birthday today, Mr. Robinson, thrice Pulitzer prize winner, is installed, as usual in his room on the top floor of a gas house district tenement. His birthday comes to light merely in the files—no big literary doings or anything like that. No man ever side-stepped ballyhoo so carefully as the author of the great ten-year trilogy, "Berlin, Launcelot and Tristram."

Like his [illegible] antiphon in America's verse liturgy—Edna St. Millay, he has from Maine. Out of Harvard, he was an underground time-keeper when the New York subway was being built. Theodore Roosevelt liked his poetry and got him a job in the customs house. Tall, stooped, bespectacled, he works in a clutter of books and papers, in the tenement room which overlooks the river. He has turned out 15 volumes of poetry in 34 years.

Once he [illegible] He sold an editorial [illegible] to the New York Tribune for $4.25. He never tried again. Poetry pays no fat dividends, but Mr. Arlington could live on bird seed if he had to, and says he is content. He holds the gold medal of the American Institute of Arts and Letters.

Unless a higher court intervenes, former Judge W. Bernard Vause must go to Atlanta penitentiary for six years. By order of the court, he surrenders today, after the decision of the United States circuit court of appeals, denying his motion for a new trial in the Columbia finance mail fraud case.

Judget Vause was known as a "joiner." He was a genial, humane man who liked people, a born mixer. Graduating from the New York university law school, his gregarious instincts led him into politics and he eventually became counsel for the state tax appraiser. In 1924, Governor Smith appointed him to the Kings county bench, to the vacancy caused by the death of Judge J. Grattan MacMahon. In November of that year, he was elected for a six-year term. On Oct. 24, 1930, his career fell like a house of cards. He, his brother, Louis N. Vause and eight others were indicted by a federal grand jury on charges of using the mails to defraud. Then came the charges of the $250,000 fee in the city pier lease.

Santa Suggests

An Individual Thermos Coffee Pot

BY LILLIAN

One of the nicest Christmas gifts for an invalid, or for any member of the family addicted to sitting up late reading, is a brand new little individual thermos coffee pot.

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THEY GOT TIRED

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ISSUE OPINION ON DE PERE BRIDGE CASE

Attorney General's Office Explains Law Pertaining to Utilities

Rights of a public utility to maintain structures in navigable streams granted by the war department, by virtue of a private contract, [illegible] the Wisconsin Public Service corporation, on right of way constructed in the Fox River at De Pere, will have to be moved so that the property can be occupied by approaches to the new bridge being built on Highway 41 at De Pere.

Members of county boards cannot serve as dance hall inspectors and contracts by supervisors to serve for compensation in such positions are void, according to an opinion of the attorney general rendered today to Earl E. Schumacher, district attorney of Dodge county.

QUICK, A MONUMENT!

El Paso, Tex.—Set down Maximo Alvarez as one of the world's most courageous men. He is probably the only one who battled a skunk [illegible]. The skunk bit Alvarez while he was asleep. Not knowing what he was holding, the hero finally [illegible]—much to his discomfort and disgust.

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WIRTH, EMIL—We want to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends, especially to the Rev. Phillip Froehlke and pallbearers, for the kindness and sympathy extended us at the death of our beloved son and brother. Also our deepest thanks for the beautiful floral tributes.
Mr. and Mrs. August Wirth and Family.

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BRETTSCHNEIDER FUNERAL Home — "44 years of Faithful Service." 112 S. Appleton. Day and night call 308RI.

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NOTICE FARMERS—I will load from the new yards, at the junction, beginning Wed., Dec. 30th. Bring your cattle, calves and hogs here, or, phone 3878 or 119. Highest prices will be paid. W. J. Arnold.

LOST AND FOUND 8

CHILD'S TRICYCLE—Green. Lost. Reward. Tel. 5618.

GLASSES — Child's, without case, lost last week. Tel. 3335.

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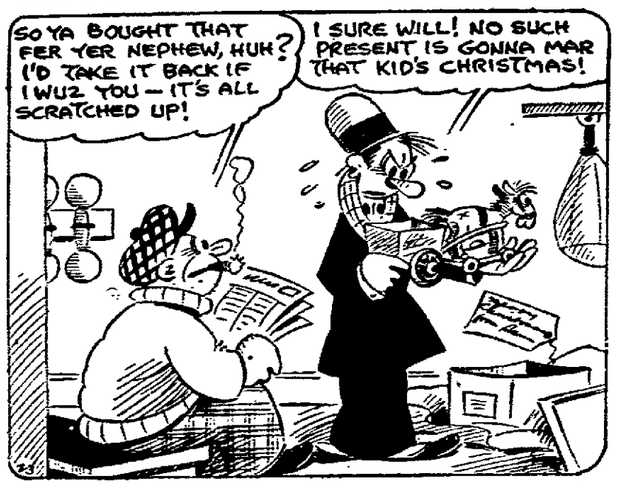

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Ford Sport Coupe ..... '30
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1928 Buick Coupe
1930 Model "69" Marmon Coupe
1928 Nash Sedan
1929 Chrysler Coupe
1929 Nash Coach
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1927 Hudson Coach
1927 Essex Coupe
1926 Ford Sedan
1924 Oldsmobile Sedan
1926 Essex Coach
1924 Jewett Sedan
1929 Chevrolet Sedan Delivery
1926 Dodge ½ ton Panel
1928 Chevrolet 1½ ton Panel
WOLTER MOTOR CO.
Phone 1543
118 N. Appleton St.

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USED CAR BARGAINS

1930 Dodge "8" Sedan
1929 Chrysler "65" Sedan
1929 Chevrolet Coach
1927 Buick Standard Sedan
1927 La Salle 4 pass. Coupe
1927 Chrysler "65" Coupe
1926 Chrysler Imperial Coupe
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BATTERY—Genuine Willard, $5.95. Alcohol, best quality at lowest prices. Ebert & Clark, 1218 N. Badger, tel. 298.

NASH—And general repairing, all makes of cars. Luebben Auto Service, 123 Soldier's Sq. Ph. 5122-W.

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USED TIRES—ALL SIZES
Appleton Tire Shop
Phone 1788 218 E. Col. Ave

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BATTERIES — 19 plate, $7.50 exchange; recharged 40c, in car 75c. W. F. Speel, 539 N. Durkee.

BRILLION FURNACES—And general sheet metal works. Heinritz Sheet Metal Wks., phone 185.

FURNACES — Badger and Badger Supreme. All makes of furnaces repaired. Badger Furnace Co.

MARTIN BOLDT & SONS
General Contractors
Oscar J. Boldt, Tel. 164

ROUND OAK —Moistair Furnaces. Tschank & Christensen, 417 W. College Ave. Phone 1748 or 4156. We repair all makes of furnaces.

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HEMSTITCHING — And picoting while you shop. Fancy designs stamped and hemstitched. Weigand Sewing Machine Co., 113 N. Morrison, tel. 973W.

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WET WASH — 4c. Dry, 5c. Flat finish, 7c. Finished, 10c. Tel. 5691.

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C. W. KENNEDY & SON
House Movers
305 N Maple Ave. Green Bay
Tel. Adams 2463 collect

HOUSE MOVING
Appleton Housemoving & Eng. Co., 297 W. Coll., tel. 786 or 9636R4.

MOVING, TRUCKING 22

ASHES—Rubbish and freight hauling a specialty. Tel. 1958J. Edw. Draeger.

FIREPROOF STORAGE
LONG DISTANCE HAULING
Crating-shipping. Tel. 724
Harry H. Long, 115 S. Walnut St.

ASHES—Rubbish and cinders hauled. Tel. 5832. H. Van Heuklon.

LONG DISTANCE — Hauling. Van service. Buchert Transfer Line, 890 N. Clark. Tel. 445.

STORAGE—And household moving. Estimates given. Smith Livery. Tel. 105.

TAILORING, ETC. 21

FUR COATS—Relined, repaired and cleaned. Tel. 1078. 622 N. Sampson.

FUR COATS—Repaired, relined and remodeled. M. E. Rigden, 214 W. Pacific.

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WASHING MACHINE—And electrical appliance repair service. Also used washing machine motors. Hall's, 225 E. College, phone 5660.

ARFT-KILLOREN ELECTRIC CO. —A complete electric service. New and used motors; used electric washer, cheap; motor and appliance repairing. 116 S. Superior St., phone 5670.

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12 PHOTOGRAPHS—Makes 12 ideal Xmas gifts. One 8x10 colored picture with an order. Make appointments early. Froelich Studio, 127 E. College.

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A. A. DENIL, CHIROPRACTOR — Successor to Dr. Larsen, 123 W. College Ave. Tel. 850.

LEO J. MURPHY—Palmer graduate health service. 504 W. College, tel. 292, res. 4042R. Member of Chiropractors Health Society.

HELP WANTED MALE 33

FARMER BOY—Over 17, to work on farm. Mrs. Chris. Randerson, R 6, Appleton.

MAN WANTED—There is a permanent position open in Appleton for a man who has operated a Corliss Stationery engine and who has fired boilers. Write full particulars as to age, previous experience and references to R-9 Post-Crescent.

YOUNG MAN—Experienced, qualified to handle correspondence and orders with salesmen and customers. Sales department large manufacturers. Advancement to right man. Reply fully giving age, education, experience, salary expected, etc. Write R-6 Post-Crescent.

SALESMAN, AGENTS 35

SALESMAN—Wanted with car, to take orders and deliver home necessities on city routes in Appleton, Menasha, Oshkosh and Green Bay. Steady worker can start earning $35 weekly and increase rapidly. Hustlers on similar routes do $5,000 annual business. Some established many years. Reply immediately giving age, occupation, references. Rawleigh Co., Dept. WS-AR-1-W, Freeport, Ill.

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MAN—Middle aged wants job to support his family. Tel. 5219W.

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CHEESE FACTORY—Received 7,000 lbs. of milk in flush. Price $5,500. Henry Bast, tel. 963532.

WANTED TO INVEST—In or buy good legitimate business. Have 2 to 4 thousand dollars. Write R-8, Post-Crescent stating proposition.

MONEY TO LOAN 39

AUTO LOANS—Refinancing, no red tape. National Finance Co., 227 W College Ave. Tel. 272W.

LOANS UP TO $300—Easy repayment up to 20 mos. Franklin Plan of Wisconsin, 204 W. Coll., tel. 490.

MONEY—To loan on first mortgage Appleton improved real estate. Prompt service. P. A. Kornely, Real Estate and Insurance, 229 W. College Ave.

WANTED TO BORROW 40

VARIOUS AMOUNTS—$1500 to $5700 wanted to borrow. See R. E. Carncross.

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PUPPIES—Pedigreed for Christmas gifts. We are equipped to board your dog at a reasonable charge. E. A. Nelson, Ridgeway Farm Kennels, R. 2, Neenah, Tel. 15F12. Gillingham's corners, highways 41 and 26.

LIVESTOCK 42

HORSES—And cows for sale. Also buy fox farm horses. John Dietzen, tel. 5257J.

LIVESTOCK WANTED 43

DOMESTIC RABBITS—Wanted for meat. State weight and number. Harry A. Stumpf, R. 1, Menasha.

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BOILER—American Ideal Arco. In first class condition. Tel. 2916R. 812 E. South St.

FULLER BRUSHES—For a Christmas gift. Phone 582.

NATIONAL CASH REGISTER—And air compressor. Reasonable. Pat Powers, Kaukauna, R 4, Tel. 995-F21, Kaukauna.

PRESSING MACHINE—Pantes, and medium size boiler. Good as new. Cheap. Tel. 28, Brillion.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS 47

DINING ROOM SET—Large Round Oak table, six chairs and buffet. 1123 W. Lawrence St., phone 1110.

ELECTRIC SWEEPER—For sale Very cheap. Tel. 3022.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS 47

GAS RANGE—Universal, like new and small Round Oak Heater, tel. 640.

HOUSEHOLD—Furniture for sale. Slightly used, will be sold very reasonable if taken at once. 416 W. Packard St., phone 5649.

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USED REGAL GUITAR—Priced for quick sale. Van Zeeland Studio, 124 N. Durkee.

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RADIO—Semi-electric and battery set. Inquire 620 W. Prospect Ave.

BUSINESS OFFICE EQUIP. 50

CASH REGISTER—Sales, supplies & repairs. The National Cash Register Co., tel. 5732, Wausau, Wis.

FOR XMAS—WHY NOT A TYPEWRITER? Can be used by the whole family. Standard and portable machines, $9.75, $12.50, $16.75, $18.75 and up. Terms if desired. E. W. SHANNON, 300 E. Coll. Ave., tel. 86. (302 N. Commercial St., Neenah, Wis., tel. 184) Open evenings.

JUST RECEIVED—Cash registers, safes, new and used. Hotel and restaurant supplies. John Gerrits, Tel. 364.

TYPEWRITERS—See our window for exceptional values in rebuilt machines. GENERAL OFFICE SUPPLY CO., 121 N. Appleton St., tel. 140.

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HAY—All kinds and straw. Geo. Wittman, tel. 5874.

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TRY LANGENBERG MILK
It qualifies. That's why we do not pasteurize. If you want pure fresh milk just Phone 666.

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FEED—Buy your mill feed for cash out of the car and save the difference. Such as bran, oil meal, cottonseed meal and wheat feed. We also carry a complete stock in our warehouse. Outagamie Equity Exchange, phone 1642.

STORM WINDOWS
Sizes 24x18; 24x20; 24x24; 24x26, 2 lights. 12x24, 12x26 four lights each $1.50.
MEDINA LBR., COAL, FLOUR & FEED YARD
Medina, Wis.

MACHINERY, ETC. 54

BAND SAW—22 inch, with 6 saws. Tel. 1078.

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FUR COATS — "The Cottage Fur Shop" has several slightly used northern seals and raccoons, sizes 36 x 38. Very cheap. Also our new coats at great reductions. Tel. 1078, 622 N. Sampson.

COAL AND WOOD 58

Pocahontas lump or egg	$9.50
Pocahontas stove	9.00
Screenings	6.50
Mine run	8.50
Briquetts	12.00
Elkhorn	6.85
Solvay coke, any size	9.75
Petroleum coke	14.00
Hard nut	16.25
Hard pea	13.75
Hard buckwheat	11.50
Hard slab wood, load	6.50
Soft slab wood, load	5.00
Body maple wood, 2 cords	8.00
Round soft wd. mixed, load	5.00

These prices are delivered anywhere in any amount you wish to buy. All our fuel is guaranteed to satisfy 100% or your money back.
H. A. NOFFKE, Tel. 113-W

WOOD—Mixed, for furnace or heater, $4 per load. About 2 cords. Special for Dec. only. Konz Box & Lbr. Co., tel. 2516.

WOOD—Hard body mixed, dry $2.75 Dry mixed wood $2.25. Delivered anywhere. Tel. 1312 Appleton.

The Christmas Shoppers Notebook

Gifts For Men A

GIFTS TO PLEASE MEN
We have a wide selection of ideal gifts for men specially priced at very attractive prices. We suggest a razor, pocket knife, radio, flashlight, a set of tools, etc. Reinke & Court Hdw. Co., 322 N. Appleton St., tel. 386.

PIPES—Largest selection of fine pipes, 50c and up. A man's gift. UNITED CIGAR STORE.

AUTO ACCESSORIES
All at greatly reduced prices. Perfection, Arvin, Weather King Hot Air heaters, also Irving Hot Water heaters—while the last $3.59. Ford and Chev. sizes $2.50. Radiator Bar caps, $2.50 to $1.00 special at 95c. Radiator Stop Leak, reg. 75c now 25c.
APPLETON AUTO WRECKING CO.
1419-25 N. Richmond St. Tel. 329

SPECIAL—$20 Zenith Hot Water Car Heater, $13.50. Hendricks-Ashauer Tire Co., 512 W. College Ave., phone 4008.

Gifts For Women B

AFTER SHOPPING
Try our Home Made Soups, Vegetable, Chicken, Bean and Pea soup, 10c a bowl. Chili 15c per bowl. Notaras Bros., 345 W. College Ave.

A BOX OF OAKS'
PURE CHOCOLATES
ONE STORE ONLY
N. APPLETON ST.

CANDY—A box of delicious Palace Candy. Enjoyed by all the family. Box ½ lb. up. THE PALACE.

ENLARGEMENTS—From your kodak negatives for Christmas. Koch Photo Shop, 221 E. College Ave.

FREE PLAQUE INSTRUCTIONS—Eve classes. Special prices on plaques. Myse Art Co., 323 N. Appleton, tel. 1550-W.

SEWING MACHINES — New, used. SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO. 408 W. College Tel. 307

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Gifts For Women B

GIFTS
Special at Paquin Furniture Shop. A footstool size 10 x 13 x 10 at $1.49 with this ad. Upholstered in beautiful covering. Tel. 966.

SPECIAL PRICES
Gifts that please—and at special low prices. Washing machines, vacuum cleaners, bird cages, electric table lamps, electric clocks, etc. REINKE & COURT HDW. CO., 322 N. Appleton St., phone 386.

VACUUM CLEANER—The new Vacuette Sani-Emtor. No dust bags to empty. Her personal health is guarded by this amazing new invention, $8 set of attachments, $3 moth crystalator and $7.50 moth garment bag FREE. A saving of $18.50. Scott & Fetzer, tel. 1489.

Gifts For Children C

SPECIAL PRICES
ON CHRISTMAS GIFTS
For the children — Pocket knives, skates, wagons, skiis, sleds, and velocipedes—all at reduced prices.
REINKE & COURT HDW. CO.
322 N. Appleton St. Phone 386

SPECIAL TEMPTATION MIXED 35c per lb. 3 lbs. for $1.00. Freshly made candy. THE PALACE.

TOYS—"Buddy L", trucks, autos, etc. Illuminated Tree Stands. All at greatly reduced prices. Appleton Auto Wrecking Co., 1419-25 N. Richmond St., tel. 329.

WHOLESALE STORES
Appleton, Menasha
New London
A huge stock of clothing for boys and girls. A large new, complete department of sweaters for boys and girls between the ages of 1 to 20. Priced 69c and up.

Gifts For The Home D

CRIB SETS
And stables, 12 piece sets, 98c and up. Prayer books, rosaries, etc.

PICTURE FRAMING
at reasonable prices. WM. STIER, 128 S. Walnut St.

CHRISTMAS TREES—All kinds and sizes. B. Terio, Menasha rd., near Airport.

ELECTRICAL GIFTS—A full line of appliances priced low. BLEICK ELECTRIC SHOP, 104 S. Walnut St., tel. 276.

CHRISTMAS TREES — Reasonable. 200 N. Badger Ave., 512 E. Harrison.

LAST DAYS
Gabriel's greatest sale of living room furniture. Don't delay. Ensuite and chair cut to rock bottom price. Gabriel Furn. Co., 307 N. Commercial St., Neenah.

SMOKING STANDS
Occasional tables, end tables lounging chairs, electric lamps, ½ price. Libman Furniture Exchange, 128 N. Appleton St.

TREE LIGHT SETS 98c
Inside sets 98c and $1.35. Outside sets $1.95. Outagamie Hdw. Co. 235 W. College.

ROOMS AND BOARD 59

COLLEGE AVE., W., 525—Room and board for 2 gentlemen. Tel. 5631.

MORRISON ST., N. 230 — Room, board. Day or week. Tel. 5514.

ROOMS—HOUSEKEEPING 61

NORTH ST.—Furn. cottage, 3 rms. and bath, also 2 furn. upper housekeeping rooms. Tel. 1252.

WASHINGTON ST., E. 224—2 light housekeeping rooms. 1 block from ave. Private entrance. Furnace heat.

WASHINGTON ST., E. 914—2 or 3 furnished rooms. Tel. 1115.

APARTMENTS, FLATS 62

APARTMENTS—Furnished and unfurnished apartments. Close in. GATES RENTAL DEPT. Room 1, 115 W. College Ave. Peterson Bldg. Tel 1552. Res. 4889R

ATLANTIC ST., E. 303—Modern upper flat vacant Jan. 1. Oil heat and water furn., $45 mo. Tel. 2882.

DURKEE ST., N. 815 — 3 room apt. Furnished.

Two Fine Apartments
For Rent
Furnished or Unfurnished

The Post Publishing Co. has two of its finest apartments, located on the third floor of the Post building for rent.

One of these apartments is furnished with brand new and fine quality furniture. Apartments contain large living room, bed room, kitchen and private bath.

Apply Business Office
Appleton Post-Crescent

COLLEGE AVE.—Modern flat over Voecks Bros. Available Dec. 1st. Inq. Voecks Market.

KAU. ISLAND—Upper flat, mod. ex. heat. P. J. Jansen, Little Chute.

LAWE ST., N. 808—5 large rooms. Modern except bath. $20. Garage.

MASON ST., N. 117—4 room nicely furn. lower apt. Heat, hot and cold water furn. Tel. 4087.

MEMORIAL DR., S.—5 room lower furnished flat. Tel. 1152.

N. DIVISION ST. 1203—4 large upper rms. Mod. except bath. Tel. 3095.

WASHINGTON ST., W. 806—3 mod. newly dec. rms., heated.

GARAGES A-62

GARAGE—For rent at rear of 302 E. College Ave. $3 per month. Inquire National Tea Co.

GARAGE SPACE—For rent. 414 W. Fifth St., phone 2625.

HILBERT SCHOOL IS CLOSED FOR HOLIDAYS

Special to Post-Crescent

Hilbert—Services which were held at the village hall on Sunday evening were largely attended. They were conducted by the Rev. D. Stannard of the Mission House at Plymouth.

The public school closed its session on Friday afternoon for the holiday vacation. The teachers left for the following places: Alice Feller, Bear Creek, Catherine Patterson, Oshkosh; Mary Bida, Chicago; Verna Bishop, Oakland, and Vera Scheffner, Stevens Point. School will again start on Jan. 4.

Guests entertained at a social gathering at the Andrew Gehl home on Sunday were the following: The Rev. John Gehl of Green Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Zimmermann of Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Othmar Gilsdorf, and family of Sherwood; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gehl of Forest Junction, and Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Gehl and family of Hilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jaeckels, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jaeckels and daughters, Shirley Mae and Dorothy of Chilton; Lawrence and Arnold Jaeckels of this vicinity were entertained at the homes of Mrs. Mary Diedrich and Mrs. Anna Jacobs, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Querin Weinneiss and sons Alex and John autoted to Green Bay on Sunday to visit Mrs. Burt Lenz who is a patient at the Bellen Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Weber and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weber and daughter Arlene, visited Loraine Weber on Sunday. She is a patient at St. Nicholas hospital at Sheboygan.

John Madler and son Roy, and Miss Marie Franzen Sunday called on Miss Marion Madler, who is a patient at St. Nicholas hospital at Sheboygan. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Madler who had been staying with her daughter for some time. She will return again to the hospital on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nilles and family of Green Bay, Mrs. Oscar Pruess and children and Harold Britton of St. Ann and Joseph Britton of Hilbert, were entertained at cards at the Math Nilles home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Diedrich entertained at cards on Sunday evening. Schafkopf was played. Prizes were awarded to Frank Kleinhans, Nick Diedrich and Mrs. Kleinhans.

The following relatives were entertained at the Mrs. Augusta Kasper home on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jaeckels and son Donald of Winneconne, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Charles and son Merlyn, Ludwig Zenk and Mrs. Theresa Klein of Kiel.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO STEPHENSVILLE PEOPLE

(Special to Post-Crescent)

Stephensville — Students spending the holidays at their homes here include: Tim Main, River Falls Teacher college; Naureen Komp, Frances Kelley and Marjory Sykes, Outagamie-co Rural Normal; De-Lila Komp and Gerald Jolin, Oshkosh State Teachers college; Erwin Casey, Edward Komp, Mary Wallace, Jane Jolin, Julia Jolin and Donald Ort, Appleton high school.

Miss Julia Halloran who teaches at Marion is spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Halloran.

Miss Clare Main, Sheboygan is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Main.

Murray Carew, Tigerton, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Cummings, New London, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Cummins Sunday afternoon.

YEAREND BOND, STOCK DEMAND ABSENT TODAY

Dividend and Interest Money Formerly Employed for Purchases

BY CHARLES F. SPEARE
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Wall Street, New York— (CPA)— In times past the investment market could depend upon a yearend buying demand that would lift prices and develop much business for dealers and distributing houses. A considerable portion of the anticipated Jan. 1 dividend and interest money was then employed in the purchase of different grades of corporation and tax exempt bonds.

In preparation for this movement dealers accumulated blocks of bonds which they carried in the banks, liquidating their bank loans as they retailed the securities among their customers. Conditions, today, are not as they were in the past. The public has had a craze to sell bonds rather than to buy them. Cheap as they are and attractive, relative to former standards, dealers are not able to "take on" bonds as the banks quite generally are unwilling to lend on such commitments, using the new argument that bonds are no longer liquid and that a loan on a marketable stock is to be preferred to one on an unmarketable mortgage obligation.

Dividends Down

Another reason for the absence of the yearend investment inquiry is the slump that has occurred this year in the income from dividends, interest and rents of those who formerly constituted the buying public. Remaining "unearned" income is used in covering ordinary living expenses as "earned" incomes from salaries and services have been much reduced. Interest and dividend money is being deposited in savings banks, in spite of the cut in the rate on such deposits in practically every section of the country. It is understood there are many instances also where the proceeds of called bonds, have been deposited rather than reinvested. This is a factor in the swelling receipts of most of the mutual savings institutions.

The decrease in corporation and institutional dividends this year will amount to between $800,000,000 and $900,000,000, to which may be added a substantial sum representing interest in default on corporation bonds, but more especially on real estate mortgage loans. Last week there were over 100 dividends listed as reduced or omitted. So far this week about 50 more have been adjusted to decreased earnings. In their number and importance the dividend changes in December are the most significant of the entire year.

They will bring the average of dividends paid to about 40 per cent reduction from the peak established in March, 1930.

Rails Down Last

Moody's investors service recently compiled figures covering the dividend record of about 30 different groups of companies and representing 600 separate corporations. The analysis extends from June 1929 to last November. Therefore it does not include important changes this month which materially affect the railroad dividend average, as about a dozen prominent carriers have reduced or omitted their dividends in the last three weeks. It is interesting to note from this analysis that the high average for dividends for the railroads was made in September, 1930, or nearly a year after the stock market panic began and was around its highest just a year ago. This bears out the argument that the railroads were slow to adjust their finances to the heavy shrinkage in their net operating income, also that they did not anticipate a second year of losses equalling those in 1930. Their present dividend average is about 50 per cent of that at the peak of last year.

Another interesting fact developed by this analysis is that, in spite of the effect of the November, 1929, stock market collapse on business, it was not until months later that many corporations deemed it necessary to change their dividend rates.

For instance, the petroleum companies paid their highest average dividend in June, 1930. They have since seen an average decline in them of 50 per cent. The copper companies, whose dividends have been decreased about 92 per cent, held close to their 1929 peak until March, 1930. There was comparatively little change in the dividend record of the automobile and automobile accessory companies until the spring of last year, although since then they have contracted dividend payments by 35 and 60 per cent respectively.

The last to feel the influence of the depression were the public utilities, which touched their high peak in February of this year and are only off about 6 per cent from the top. Their average will also be changed by the numerous reductions and omissions made during December. Both bank stocks and insurance company shares enjoyed immunity from the effects of business decline until the summer of last year. Their relatively small average losses have not been much affected by December dividend policies.

TAX ON SUNSHINE PROPOSED

To help the national finances in France, a tax on sunshine has been proposed. The argument is that, as sunlight spells health and enjoyment, people who live in a sunny part of the country should pay more to the national treasury than those who live where it is damp and dull. It is urged that the people in each district should be taxed according to the number of hours of sunshine recorded for it annually.

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SHARE PRICES SUFFER RELAPSE ON STOCK MART

Traders Find Little Incentive to Increase Their Commitments

BY CLAUDE A. JAGGER
Associated Press Financial Editor

New York —(AP)— The stimulating effects of the improvement in bonds appeared to have worn off, as far as the stock market was concerned, and share prices relapsed in listless trading today.

Traders found little incentive to increase their commitments in shares in advance of the holiday, and hangover yearend selling fell on a thin market. Losses of 2 to 4 points were numerous.

Bond market wavered a little, but continued to maintain a good tone.

Shares off about 2 to 4 points included such issues as U. S. Steel, American Telephone, Allied Chemical, North American, Westinghouse, Case, American Smelting, American Tobacco, New York Central, Southern Pacific, New Haven, Union Pacific and Santa Fe. Declines of a point or so were numerous. Recent selling of the oils, however, appeared to have subsided.

Banking quarters regarded the congressional ratification of the one year war debt moratorium as a constructive, and awaited with keen interest the report on further measures by the Young plan advisory committee, which has been meeting at Basel. The adjournment until Monday of the bankers committee considering Germany's short term commercial debts at Berlin leaves that situation still up in the air, but international bankers in Wall Street expressed the belief that a satisfactory accord was assured. The Hungarian moratorium, nevertheless, served to bring the strained situation in central Europe once more to the fore.

Railway stocks were notably heavy, and may have been influenced by the unions' rejection of the rail wage reduction plan proposed in Canada. The next development in the American Railway wage situation is expected to be the meeting of the heads of the 21 brotherhoods in Cleveland on Tuesday. Railroad financial quarters were still of the opinion that a 10 per cent reduction is virtually assured.

OFFERINGS SMALL ON N. Y. CURB MART

Moderate Declines Scattered Throughout Important General List of Shares

New York—(AP)— Small offerings, apparently representing tax sales, dribbled into the curb market today.

Moderate declines were well scattered through the general list, but trading became very dull on the irregular reaction. Utility and oil groups had a somewhat heavy appearance at times, but the lower priced industrials maintained a steady undertone.

Speculative sentiment toward the petroleum shares has become rather negative, as evinced by the sharp declines earlier in the week. Reduction of output in Texas is being through the Sunday shutdown program, but the price structure has leaned toward weakness. Today small recessions came out in gulf and Indiana standard.

Utility holding company equities had a tendency to ease. Electric Bond and Share slipped off after a steady opening and was joined in a narrow reaction by several other active members of the group. Duke Power had a larger than average loss and several transactions were made in the issue during the earlier hours.

Swift International firmed, while Cuneo Press, Ford of Canada "A" and Niles Bement pond were steady. Cord was inactive. New Jersey Zinc and Aluminum of America sagged.

SOO LINE RAILROAD HAS INCOME DEFICIT

Minneapolis —(AP)— The Soo Line rail system sustained a net deficit of $735,367.13 for the month of November, as compared with a deficit of $308,428.81 for the same month last year, said a report made public yesterday, by J. D. Bondy, comptroller.

For the 11 months ending Nov. 30 there was a net deficit of $6,268,782.82 compared with $2,129,223.24 for the same period last year, the report showed. Total revenue for November this year was $2,093,953.58.

Total revenue for the 11 months period was $26,703,694.95 for this year and $37,473,724.17 last year.

TODAY'S MARKETS AT A GLANCE

New York—(AP) —Stocks—Weak; rails lead decline.

Bonds—Weak; rails react.

Curb—Heavy; leaders sag moderately.

Foreign Exchanges—Irregular; Canadian dollar weak.

Cotton — Barley steady, easier stock and grain markets.

Sugar—Quiet, steady spot market.

Coffee—Steady; trade covering.

Chicago—Wheat—Easy; disappointing Liverpool cables; bearish government weather.

Corn—Easy; bearish Argentine acreage; favorable weather.

Cattle—Strong to higher.

Hogs—Steady.

CHICAGO BUTTER

Chicago—(AP)—Butter 7,900 unsettled; creamery specials (93 score) 30-30½; extras (92 score) 29½; extra firsts (90-91 score) 25½-28; firsts (88-89 score) 23½-24½; seconds (86-87 score) 21-22½; standards, (90 score) centralized carlots 25. Eggs 1,753. Unsettled; extra firsts 22; fresh graded firsts, 21-28; current receipts 22-25; refrigerator firsts 16-16½; refrigerator extras 17-17½.

HOG PRICES RISE ON LIVESTOCK MART

Swing Upward on Leverage of Greatly Reduced Receipts

Chicago —(AP)— Swinging upward on the leverage of greatly reduced receipts, but restrained by the poor outlet for pork, hog prices recovered Tuesday's sudden losses within the first hour of trading today. Only 23,000 fresh hogs arrived and 7,000 were carried over unsold from the previous day. Packers had 6,000 on through consignment and did not buy freely at the start. Shippers offered steady to strong prices, ranging from $4.25-4.35, while choice butchers were held at $4.40.

Twelve markets during the first half of the week received 312,000 hogs, 140,000 fewer than arrived during the corresponding period last week. However, current receipts are running substantially ahead of the rate maintained at this time last year.

Another miniature supply of bovine stock was offered the trade around the market circle today. Three days' receipts of 49,300 in the principal markets are only a third as large as last week and only half as large as in the same period a year ago. Some buying was engaged in early, but shippers in search of meaty steers were the only energetic agency in the market. Prices were on a firm basis, but local packers resisted further improvement. About 2,000 calves arrived and demanded for them was broad, best ones being quoted at $7.50 and the bulk of light ones moved at $5.00-6.00.

Fresh arrivals of 10,000 live muttons included a few odd cars billed straight to packing plants. Open market offerings of fat lambs were marked with higher prices, but shippers who had advances yesterday only to see the market close a quarter lower, were included to hold back.

MILWAUKEE LIVESTOCK

Milwaukee—(AP)—Hogs 4,500; steady to 5c higher. Good lights 160-200 lbs. 4.15@4.50; light butchers 210-240 lbs. 4.15@4.30; fair to good butchers 250-300 lbs. 4.00@4.20; heavy and fair butchers 325 lbs. up 3.85@4.05; unfinished grades 3.00@3.75; fair to selected packers 3.50@3.75; rough and heavy packers 3.25@3.75; pigs 100-130 lbs. 3.90@4.15; stags 2.50@3.00; governments and throwouts 1.00@3.00.

Cattle 500; steady. Steers good to choice 6.00@10.00 medium to good 4.00@6.00; fair to medium 3.50@4.00; common 2.50@3.25; heifers good to choice 3.00@4.00; fair to medium 2.00@2.50; common to fair 1.50@2.00; cows, good to choice 2.00@3.25; fair to good 2.50@2.75; cows, canners 1.50@1.75; cows, cutters 2.00@2.50; bulls, butchers 3.50@4.00; bulls, bologna 3.00@3.75; bulls, common 2.00@2.50; milkers, springers, good to choice (common sell for beef) 35.00@75.00.

Calves 2,200—25c higher than yesterday's close; choice calves 140-175 lbs. 6.50; good to choice 120-135 lbs. 5.50@6.25; fair to good lights 100-115 lbs. 4.00@5.25; heavy fair to good 2.50@4.00; throwouts 2.50@3.00.

Sheep 200 steady. Good to choice ewes and wether springer lambs 5.00@5.50; fair to good 4.00@4.75; buck springer lambs 4.00@4.50; cull lambs 3.00@3.50; light cull springer lambs 2.00; ewes heavy 1.00@1.50; light 2.00@2.50; cull ewes .50@1.75.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago—(AP)— (U. S. D. A.)—Hogs 23,000 including 6,00 direct; steady with yesterday's average; bulk 170-230 lbs. 4.20@4.30; top 4.35; 240-280 lbs. 4.15@4.20; 140-160 lbs. 4.00@4.25; pigs 3.50@4.00; packing sows 3.50@3.75.

Light light good and choice 140-160 lbs. 4.00@4.25; light weight 160-200 lbs. 4.10@4.35; medium weight 200-250 lbs. 4.15@4.35; heavy weight 250-350 lbs. 4.05@4.25; packing sows medium and good 275-500 lbs. 3.50@3.75; pigs good and choice 100-130 lbs. 3.50@4.00.

Cattle, 5,000; calves 2,000; general market fairly active and strong to 25c higher; weighty steers and light butchers and yearling heifers up most; clearance fairly good; top 11.25 on long yearlings 11.00 on weighty steers; bulk 5.50@9.00.

Slaughter cattle and vealers: steers good and choice 500-900 lbs. 7.25@11.00; 900-1100 lbs. 7.25@11.50; 1100-1300 lbs. 7.50@11.75; 1300-150 lbs. 7.75@11.75; common and medium 600-1300 lbs. 3.50@8.00; heifers good and choice 550-850 lbs. 5.25@7.75; common and medium 3.00@5.25; cows good and choice 2.25@4.75; common and medium 2.75@3.25; low cutter and cutter 1.50@2.75; bulls (yearlings excluded) good and choice (beef) 3.60@4.25; cutter to medium 2.50@3.75; vealers (milk fed) good and choice 6.00@7.50; medium 4.50@6.00; cull and common 3.00@4.50; stockers and feeders cattle: steers good and choice 500-1050 lbs. 4.75@5.75; common and medium 3.00@4.75.

Sheep 10,000; fairly active; mostly steady with yesterday's average; better grade lambs 5.00@5.50 to packers; few loads 5.75 to outsiders; best held higher; fat ewes mostly 2.00@2.50.

Lambs 90 lbs. down good and choice 5.00@5.85; medium 4.00@5.00; aun weights common 3.25@4.00; ewes 90-150 lbs. medium to choice 1.50@2.75; all weights cull and common 1.00@1.75; feeding lambs 50-75 lbs. good and choice 4.50@4.90.

ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

St. Paul—(AP)—(USDA) — Cattle, 500; all classes in meager supply but most interests showing very narrow needs; trade about steady; few odds and ends scarce 3.50-5.00; part load desirable yearlings to 6.00; beef cows 2.50-3.25; heifers 3.00-4.00; cutters 1.75-2.25; bulls 2.75-3.25; outstanding bulls to 3.50; no early action on stockers and feeders; calves 2,300; vealers strong to 50 higher, largely 4.00-5.50; on medium and choice grades, mostly sorted to 6.00.

Hogs, 14,000; underweights and pigs active, strong to 25 higher; other classes slow, a few sales steady to strong; considerable number of 140-210 pounds at 4.00; top 4.00; a few bids on 180-250 pounds around 3.90; packing sows, mostly 3.15-3.35; pigs 3.50 to mostly 3.75; average cost Tuesday 3.82; weight 302.

Sheep 3,000; a few early bids on fat lambs around 25 lower than Tuesday; asking strong prices; bidding 4.75 down on slaughter lambs; late Tuesday bulk fat lambs to packers 5.00.

GRAIN PRICES HAMMERED ON GRAIN MARKET

Readjustment of Accounts Before Holidays Has Bearish Effect

BY JOHN P. BOUGHAN
Associated Press Market Editor

Chicago —(AP)— Readjustment of accounts so as to be prepared for a triple holiday beginning with Christmas had a bearish effect on the grain markets today. December contracts were especially subjected to desultory selling. North American export business in wheat was confined to shipments from Canada via Vancouver.

Sellers of wheat futures acted more or less on official reports showing that domestic winter crop conditions were god to excellent in the main producing sections, though the soil was still too dry in parts of western Kansas. However, some trade authorities were recommending purchases of July wheat against sales of May, it being asserted that July was more likely to reflect any crop damage. Such authorities said that even in case the year's carryover was small, May would work to a carrying charge difference under July.

Heretofore, the most popular maneuver of "spread" traders in wheat had been the exact reverse, namely to buy May and sell July. This course has been based on belief that owing to the large size of farm board holdings, there was little free wheat moving in the United States. On the other hand, it was contended today that there was not apt to be a reduction soon in visible supplies, as a result of dearth of export demand for wheat from this country. Corn and oats kept within narrow limits, and trade as in wheat was of a holiday character.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

Chicago —(AP)—

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
Dec	.53¾	.52⅞	.52⅞
Mar	.54⅞	.52⅞	.53⅞
May	.56⅛	.55⅛	.55⅛
July	.55⅞	.54⅞	.54⅞
CORN—			
Dec	.36	.35⅛	.35⅛
Mar	.39	.38⅛	.38⅛
May	.40⅞	.39⅞	.40
July	.42⅛	.41⅞	.41⅞
OATS—			
Dec	.24	.23½	.23½
Mar	.25½	.25⅛	.25
July	.25⅛	.24⅞	.24⅞
RYE—			
Dec	.41	.40	.40
Mar	.44	.43⅞	.43⅞
May	.45⅛	.44⅞	.44⅞
July	.45⅛	.44⅞	.44⅞
LARD—			
Dec			5.52
Jan			5.42
Mar	5.57	5.52	5.52
BELLIES—			
Jan			5.62
May			6.70

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN

Chicago—(AP)—Wheat No. 5 northern spring 48. Old corn No. 2 yellow 39¾-40; new corn No. 3 mixed 35¾-36½; No. 4 mixed 35-35½; No. 2 yellow 38; No. 3 yellow 34½-37; No. 4 yellow 33½-35½; No. 5 yellow 33½-35½; No. 6 yellow 2½; No. 4 white 33½-35½. Oats No. 2 white 25-26½; No. 3 white 24-25½; No. 4 white 24; sample grade 23. Rye no sales. Barley 42-57. Timothey seed 4.00-4.25. Clover seed 13.25-15.75.

MINNEAPOLIS CASH GRAIN

Minneapolis—(AP)—Wheat receipts 65 cars compared to 131 a year ago. Market 1½ lower. Cash No. 1 northern 67½-70½; No. 1 dark northern, 15 per cent protein 70½-75½; 14 per cent protein 70½-73½; 13 per cent protein 67½-70½; 12 per cent protein 67½-70½; No. 1 dark hard Montana 14 per cent protein 64½; to arrive 63½; No. 1 amber durum 84½-85½; No. 2 amber durum 83½-87½; No. 1 red durum 54½-56½. Dec. 67½; May 65⅛; July 63⅞.

Corn No. 3 yellow 38½-39.

Oats No. 3 white 25½-26½.

Barley, 49-52.

Rye No. 1, 43½-45½.

Flax No. 1, 1.36-1.40.

CHICAGO POTATOES

Chicago —(AP)—(USDA)— Potatoes 40, on track 202, total U. S. shipment 350; about steady, trading slow; sacked per cwt. Wisconsin round whites 70-80, occasional fancy shade higher; unclassified few sales 65-70; Nebraska triumphs 1.65-1.70; Colorado McClures 1.30-1.40; Idaho russets No. 1, 1.45-1.60; mostly around 1.50; commercials 90-1.00; No. 2, 80-90.

MILWAUKEE PRODUCE

Milwaukee —(AP)— Butter, standards .26½@.27; extras .27. Eggs fresh firsts .25; poultry heavy fowls .15; light fowls .14; springers .15; leghorn springers .12; turkeys young .24; old .20; ducks .17; geese .14.

Vegetables: beets .50@.60 bu. Cabbage 14.00@16.00 ton; carrots .40@.50 bu. potatoes Wisconsin round .50@.55; Idaho russets 1.40@1.60; Lakers 1.60; comm 1.10@1.20. On one large 5.00; mod. 1.70@1.80; mich. 1.25.

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MONEY RATES

New York—(AP)—Call money steady 3 per cent all day.

Time loans steady 60 days 3½; 3-6 mos 3½ per cent.

Prime commercial paper 3¾-4.

Bankers acceptances unchanged.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

Minneapolis—(AP)—Flour unchanged. Shipments 22,246. Pure bran $14.00-$14.50. Standard middlings $13.00-$13.50.

New York Stock List

By Associated Press

	High	Low	Close
A			
Abitibi D P			2½
Adams Exp	4½	3⅞	4
Advance Reduc	52½	30½	51
Alaska Jun	12½	12	12½
Alleghany	1⅝	1½	1½
Al Chem Dye	72½	67⅞	67⅞
Allas Chal Mfg	12	11	11
Amn Bank Note	15	14⅞	14⅞
Amn Can	64	61½	63
Amn Car Fdy	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
Amn Chicle	31½	30½	31
Amn Cont Al			7½
Am For Pow	8⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Am F P $7 pfd	31½	29	29½
Am F P 2d	16½	15	15
Amn Ice	13	12	12½
Amn Internatl	5⅞	5⅛	5⅛
Amn Loco	6	5⅞	5⅞
Amn Metal			5⅞
Am Pow & L	14½	6⅞	6⅞
Amn Rad St San	6⅞	6⅛	6⅛
Amn Repub			1½
Amn Smelt & Refg	21½	19½	19½
Amn Snuff			30
Amn Steel F Pfd			71
Amn Sugar Refg	39½	39	39½
Amn Tel & Tel	118	114½	115
Amn Tob	67	63½	63½
Amn Tob B	69	65½	66
Amn Wat Wks	28½	27½	27½
Amn Woolen	3½	3	3
Amn Wool Pfd	17½	16½	17
Anaconda	11½	10	10
Andes Cop	4½	4⅜	4⅜
Archer Dan M			11½
Armour Del Pfd	33½	33	33
Arm Ill A			3
Arm Ill B	3	3	3
Arm Ill Pfd	6	5⅞	5⅞
Assd Dry Goods	6⅞	6½	6⅞
Atch T & Sf	88⅞	83⅞	84½
Atl Cst Line	32½	31½	31½
Atl Refg	9⅞	9	9⅛
Atlas Pow			20
Atlas Seores			4⅞
Auburn Auto	140⅞	131	131½
Aviation Corp	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
B			
Baldwin Loco	5⅞	5⅛	5⅛
Balt & Ohio	17⅞	16½	16⅞
Barnsdall A	4⅞	4½	4⅞
Beatrice Crmy	40	39	39
Bendix Aviat	13⅞	17½	17⅞
Bat & Co	23½	22½	22½
Beth Stl	20½	19⅞	19⅞
Bohn Alum	19⅞	19	19
Bon Ami			49
Borden	39⅞	36⅞	36⅞
Briggs Mfg	8	7⅞	8
Bklyn Un Gas	79½	77½	77½
Brunswick Balk			23⅞
Bucyrus Erie			4⅞
Budd Wheel			3
Burr Add Mach	12	11⅞	11⅞
Butterick			3⅛
Byers Co	13⅞	12⅞	12⅞
C			
Calif Pack	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
Cal and Hec	3⅞	3⅛	3⅛
Can D G Ale	11½	11	11
Can Pac	12	11½	11½
Case	44½	40⅞	40⅞
Celotex			2⅞
Cerro De Pas	14⅞	13	13
Ches and Ohio	28⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Chi M Stp and P	2	1⅞	1⅞
Chi and Nw	6⅞	5⅞	5⅞
Chi and Nw Pfd	16	15	16
Chi Rk Is and P	10	9⅞	9⅞
Chi Yel Cab			10
Chrysler	13⅞	13	13
City Ice and F	26½	26½	26½
Coca Cola	109	106½	106½
Colgate Palm	27⅞	26½	26½
Colo Fuel and Ir			7½
Colum G and E	13⅞	12⅞	12⅞
Colum Carb	35½	33	33
Coml Credit	9⅞	9⅛	9⅛
Coml Invest Tr			16½
Coml Solv	8½	7⅞	8
Comwlth So	3⅞	3⅛	3⅛
Congoleum Na			8½
Consol Gas	63	60½	61½
Contl Bak A			5
Contl. Can	35½	33⅞	33½
Contl Ins	20	19½	19½
Contl Mtr			1½
Contl Oil Del	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
Corn Prod	41⅞	39	40
Coty	3½	3	3
Crucible Steel	24	23½	23½
Cuba Co			1
Cudahy Pack			3½
Curtiss Wright	1⅞	1½	1½
Cutler Ham	7½	7⅞	7⅞
D			
Del and Hud	73½	71⅞	71⅞
Del Lack and W	19⅞	18	18
Diamond Match			19½
Drug Inc	53	51⅞	51⅞
Du Pont De Nem	56⅞	54½	54½
E			
Eastman Kod	84½	79½	81½
Eaton Ax and S	6⅞	6½	6½
Elec Auto Lt	31⅞	29½	29½
El Pow and Lt	12	11	11
Elec Stor B			26½
Erie R R	6⅞	6	6½
F			
Fairbanks Morse			4½
Federal Wat Ser			2½
Fisk Rubber			4
Foster Wheel	9½	9	9
Fox Film A	8½	8	8½
Freeport Tex	16⅞	15½	15½
G			
Gen Asphalt	31⅞	27	27
Gen Cigar	29½	28⅞	29½
Gen Elec	25⅞	24½	24½
Gen Elec Spl	11	1⅞	1½
Gen Foods	32⅞	31½	31½
Gen Mills	30½	30	30½
Gen Mtr	23⅞	22⅞	22⅞
Gen Out Adv A	6½	6	6
Gen Pub Serv	3⅞	3	3
Gen Rwy Sig	27	26	26
Gen Thea Eq	6	5	5
Gillette Safety R	11⅞	11½	11½
Gimbel Bros	12	10	10
Glidden	7⅞	7	7
Gold Dust	17½	17⅞	17⅞
Goodrich	4	3⅞	3⅞
Goodyear T	19⅞	18½	18½
Graham Paige	2⅞	2⅛	2⅛
Granby Con M	7⅞	6½	6½
Grant	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
Grt No Ry Pfd	29	28½	28½
Grt Nor Ire Ore Ctf	11½	10⅞	10⅞
Grt West Sug Pfd			77
H			
Hahn Dept St	7⅞	7½	7½
Hudson Chem	31½	31	31
Houd. Her. B	3	2⅞	3
Houston Oil	18	17	17½
Houston Od new	3⅞	3½	3½
Howe Sound	15½	14	14
Hudson Mtr	10⅞	10½	10½
Hupp Mtr	4½	4	4½
I			
Ills. Cent.	11½	11½	11½
Indian Refg.			4½
Indust. Ray.			23½
Inger. Rand	30	28½	28½
Inland Stl	23	21½	21½
Inspirin. Cop.			3⅛
Interb. Rap. Tr.			7
Intl. Cement	18	17½	17½
Intl. Comb. E.			5
Intl. Harv.	25⅞	23⅞	23½
Intl. Match pfd.	15½	15½	15½
Intl. Nick. Can	8½	7½	7½
Intl. Pap. and P. A.			2
Inter. Shoe			37½
Int. Tel. and Tel.	9½	8	8½
Island Crk. C.	16	15½	15½
J			
Johns Manville	18½	17½	17½
K			
Kelsey Hay Whl			5½
Kelvinator	7⅞	7½	7½
Kennecott	11½	11½	11½
Kimberly Cl	19½	19	19
Kresge SS	17½	17⅞	15⅞
Kreug & Toll	5	4½	4⅞
Kroger Grcy	14⅞	13½	13½
L			
Lambert	51	45⅞	45½
Leh Val RR			11½
Lehman Corp	36⅞	36½	36½
Ligg & Myers	47	45	45
Ligg & My B	46⅞	45	45
Liquid Carb	17	14½	14⅞
Loews	27⅞	26½	26½
Loose Wil Bis			12
Lorillard	10⅞	10½	10½
Lvl G and El A			7
Lvl and Nash	21½	19	19
M			
Mack Trucks	15⅞	12⅞	12⅞
Macy	55	53½	53½
Magma Cop			8
Marmon Mtr	1⅞	1½	1½
McKeesport Tin	50⅞	47½	49
McKess and Rob	5⅞	5⅛	5½
Miami Cop	3⅞	3	3
Mid Cont Pet	6½	5⅞	5⅞
Midland Stl	9⅞	8½	8½
Minn Stl			8
Mo Kan T	5	4⅞	4⅞
Mohawk Carp			5½
Monsanto Chem	21½	20½	20½
Monty Ward	7⅞	7⅛	7⅛
Mother Lode			1
Moto Pet Gku			8
Mtr Prod	23½	23	23½
Mtr Whl	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
Mupningwear	32	31½	31½
Murray Corp	6⅞	6½	6½
N			
Nash Mtrs	15½	15⅛	15½
Natl Bell Hess	1⅞	1	1
Natl Biscuit	40½	39½	39½
Natl Bisc Pfd			115
Natl Cash R A	5½	7⅞	7⅞
Natl Dairy Prod	23⅞	22½	22½
Natl P L	14½	13⅞	13⅞
Nev Con Cop	5	5½	5⅞
N Y Air Brk	6	5½	6
N Y Central	27½	26½	26½
N Y NH H	31½	28½	28½
N Y N H H	22½	19⅞	20½
Norfolk W	120	115	115
North Amer	34½	32	32½
Nor Amn Aviat	3	2½	2½
Nor Pac	18⅞	16½	16½
O			
Ohio Oil	5½	5½	5½
Oliver Farm	2	1	1
Otis Elev	20	19	19½
P			
Pac G and	33½	32½	33½
Packard	4½	4	4
Param Publix	6⅞	6½	6½
Pathe			5
Pathe A			1½
Peerless Mtr	3½	3	3½
Penick and Ford	26⅞	25½	26½
Penney	28	27½	27½
Penn RR	20⅞	19½	19½
Pere Marq	6½	5	5
Petro Corp	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Phelps Dodge	7⅞	7½	7⅞
Phillips Pet	4⅞	4½	4½
Pierce Oil			3
Pierce ePt			2
Prair Oil and G	5	4⅞	4⅞
Prair Pipe L	6½	5⅞	6
Procter and Gam	40⅞	39½	40
Pub Serv N J	55½	53	55½
Pullman	17	15½	17
Pure Oil	4	3⅞	3⅞
Purity Bak	12⅞	11½	11½
R			
Radio	6½	5⅞	5⅞
Radio Pfd B	13⅞	12	12
Radio K O	7	3	3
Reading Co	37⅞	34	34
Real Silk	2½	2⅛	2⅛
Rem Rand	2½	2	2
Reo Mtr	3⅞	3½	3½
Repub Steel	12	11	11
Rey Tob B	33½	33	33
Rich Oil Cal	7	7	7
Rio Gran Oil	2	1⅞	1⅞
S			
Safeway St	47⅞	42	42
Ehjo Lead	8	7½	7
Stl San Fran	4	3½	3½
Schulte Ret			4
Seaboard Air	3	2	2
Seaboard Oil	6⅞	6½	6½
Sears Roebuck	34	32⅞	32⅞
Seneca Cop	2	1	1
Shattuck	10⅞	10½	10½
Shell Un	5⅞	5⅛	5⅛
Simmons	8⅞	6⅞	6⅞
Simms Pet			4½
Sinclair Con	4⅞	4½	4½
Skelly Oil	2½	2½	2½
Solid Bak			7
Sonny Vacuum	9⅞	9	9
South Cal Ed	30½	27½	30½
South Pac	32½	29⅞	29⅞
Southern Rail	9⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Stand Brands	19⅞	18	18½
St Com Tea	17	17	17
St G and E	2½	2½	2½
St Oil Cal	37	35	35
St Oil N J	47½	47½	47½
Steel S A			2
Stewart Warn	5⅞	5	5
Studebaker	1	1	1
Sun Oil	27½	25	25
Superior Oil			3
Superior St			4
T			
Texas Corp	15⅞	15	15
Tex Gulf Sul	23	22	22½
Title Gtd A	22	21	21
Trans Lux Ax			31
T C P L R	15⅞	15	15½
Tob Prod	2½	2½	2½
Tob Pr B A	7	7½	7½
Transamerica	5⅞	5	5⅞
U			
Underwood El	17½	14	14
Un Carbide	31½	30½	30½
Un Oil Cal	12⅞	12½	12½
Un Pac	79½	74	74
Un Air	21½	20½	20½
Unit Bak	22½	22	22½
Unit Cigar	9½	9½	9
Unit Corp	9⅞	8½	8½
Unit Drug	23⅞	22½	22½
Unit Gas Imp	18⅞	17½	17½
US Ind Alc	28⅞	27½	27½
US Leather			2
US Rub			12
US Rub A	4½	4	4
US Rub & Irr	6½	5½	5½
US Rubber	4	3½	3½
US Smelt & R	17⅞	15½	15½
US Steel	40½	37½	37½
US Steel Pfd	105	102	102
Univ Pict 1st Pfd			38
V			
Vanadium	13⅞	12½	12½
W			
Walgreen Co			15
Ward Bak B	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Warner Pict	2⅞	2½	2⅞
Western Mary	6⅞	6	6
West Un Tel	44½	41⅞	41⅞
Westingh Air	14⅞	14	14½
West El Mfg	25½	26½	26½
White Mtr	9½	8⅞	8⅞
W Pen Over	2½	2½	2½
Woolworth	40½	38⅞	38½
Worth P M	19½	17½	17½
Wrigley Jr	54	51	51
Y			
Yel Trk C			3½
Young Sh W	8⅞	8	8

SMALL BOY SAWS OFF CHRISTMAS TREE AND CANNOT TELL A LIE

Rhinelander—(AP)—When Rhinelander police had solved the mystery of the perplexing Christmas tree theft they had a story which is a startling parallel to George Washington's cherry tree adventure.

The tree was a handsome California blue spruce which grew in front of the home of E. O. Brown, manufacturer and banker. Brown took great pride in it and he was an enraged citizen when someone cut it down and carried it off.

Then George, small son of Alderman Robert Caldwell made a confession to his dad. George said he cut down the spruce tree and took it over to the first grade room of his school where popcorn balls and lights adorn it. He cut it down, he added, with the saw which was a Christmas present last year.

Banker Brown will not prosecute.

NEW YORK CURB

By Associated Press

	High	Low	Close
Aero Underwear			
Alum Goods			1
Amn Com Pow A	11	11	11
Amn Equities			12
Amn Lite Tr	21	11⅞	21
Amn Sup Pow	31	27	27
Appalach Gas	4	4	4
Arctur Rad Tube	11	11	11
Ark Natl Gas A	2	2	2
As G El A	4	4	4
Bank Hill S	10½	23	23
Butler Bros 2			3
Camco Vtc			1½
Can Marc Wireless	1	1	1
Carnation	17½	17½	17½
Cent Pub S A	13	13	13
Cent St L	1	1	1
Cities Service	3½	3	3
City Serv Pfd			46
Cons Cop Min			4
Creole Pet			

LOOK AT EARNINGS BEFORE PURCHASE OF COMMON STOCK

Many Things to Be Considered Before Buying Shares

BY GEORGE T. HUGHES
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New York — As had been stated before in this series the formula used for determining the propriety of investing in a common stock is the price earnings ratio. For example, if the earnings of XYZ Corporation are $5 annually and the stock sells for $50 a share the price earnings ratio is ten, generally considered a conservative figure.

This method, however, has one vital defect because problem is not one in plane but in solid geometry. It is three dimensional. It ignores the time element and that is all important. It is not enough to take into consideration the price and the earnings. One has to follow for the trend of the market; the concensus of trading opinion and the outlook for the future.

It is this stumbling block which has loomed so large in the way of those who have been purchasing common stocks for investment all through the bear market and who have seen every commitment followed by a paper loss. What would be a conservative price earnings ratio, a quotation low enough to look inviting in 1929 might look very high in 1931 simply because speculative ideas have changed and no matter how much one may decry speculation it governs market prices.

This difficulty is not only real but very hard to overcome. One way is to wait until the market itself indicates that the time has come for purchases. The trouble here is that the market gives so many false signs and makes so many false starts. One may wait until a recovery has been under way for a considerable period and still make a mistake. Another way is to look to the trend of earnings currently for the stock under consideration. If net income makes favorable comparisons with the same period a year ago as well as with the period immediately preceding, seasonal changes taken into account, the commitment will look advisable.

To apply either or both of these rules is not a mechanical matter. They must be followed with judgment and discretion. Investment is not a science but an art.

WISCONSIN LEADS IN CANNING WAX BEANS

Madison —(AP)— Wisconsin, with about 335 actual cases, heads the list of the states in the canning of wax beans with 29 per cent of the total output, the federal and state crop reporting service said today.

The state's pack of green beans, about 743 thousand cases or 10 percent of the total in the country, was third, Maryland leading and New York being second.

The canning of beans as an industry in the United States reached a peak in 1929, the report said, with about 8,529,000 cases, more than double the 1926 figure. This year's total will be about 5,777,000 cases.

Free Fish Fry, Wed., Fri. and Sat., 523 W. College Ave.

GIRL SCOUTS AT WORK PREPARING YULE BASKETS

Girl Scout meetings are the scene of much cutting and sewing this week with 162 Appleton Scouts assisting with the scout charity program and planning troop parties.

Each of the eight troops in the city is organizing a large basket of food for at least one poor family in the city. Every scout is busy cutting and pasting Girl Scout silhouettes for Christmas greetings for patients at St. Elizabeth hospital.

Troop Christmas parties are being held this week with the first party Saturday afternoon at the Woman's club given by the Wild Rose Troop. Miss Dorothy Calnin's troop at Columbia hall held their celebration Monday afternoon with the Brownie pack holding their party this afternoon

Appleton Girl Scouts collected more than 100 toys for poor children this year, turning them over to the manual arts department at Wilson junior high school. The boys in the manual arts department repaired and repainted the toys for Christmas giving.

WOMEN TO SPONSOR ATHLETIC PROGRAM

Club Will Conduct Gymnastic, Tap Dancing and Horse Riding Classes

Appleton Woman's club will branch out into a versatile athletic program next year sponsoring for women in the city a gymnastic class, tap dancing and horseback riding as well as the regular swimming classes under their direction for several years.

The new swimming classes will begin the first week in January at the Y. M. C. A. with Mrs. John S. Millis again in charge. Enrollments for the classes may be made with Mrs. R. N. Clapp, secretary of the club.

Horseback riding will be one of the new features of the athletic program with J. G. Pfeil of the Appleton Riding Academy as the instructor for the series of ten lessons Mrs. Mills will conduct a weekly gymnasium class for women and the tap dancing will be taught by Miss Ruth McGurk of Lawrence college Later in the season a class in archery will be organized by the club.

Venison Lunch Plate 25c. Wed. and Sat. night at Kemke's, Combined Locks.

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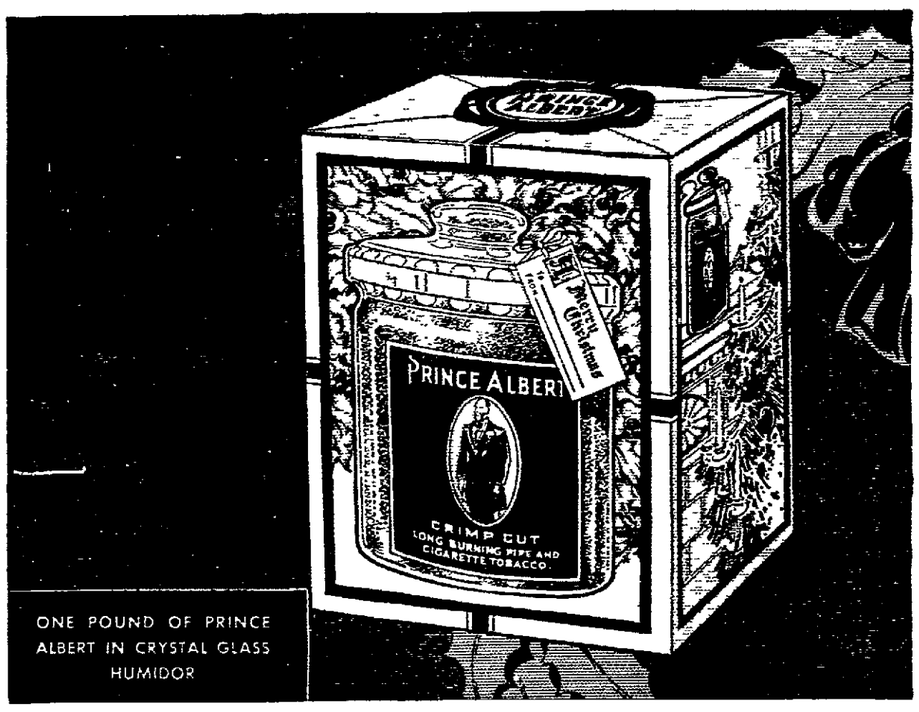
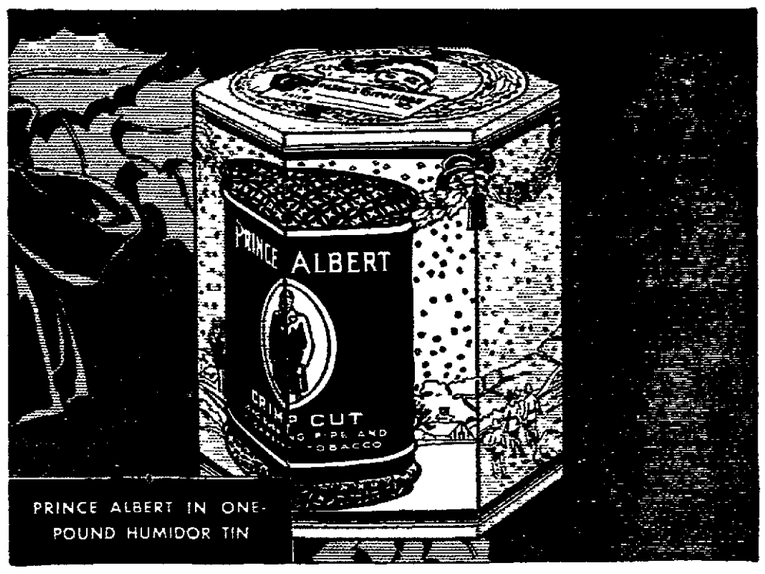
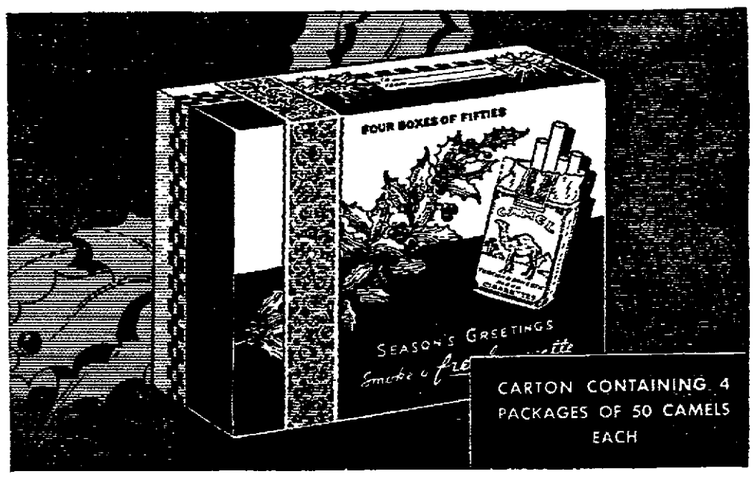


ONE POUND OF PRINCE ALBERT IN CRYSTAL GLASS HUMIDOR



PRINCE ALBERT IN ONE-POUND HUMIDOR TIN

CARTON CONTAINING 10 PACKAGES OF 20 CAMELS EACH



CARTON CONTAINING 4 PACKAGES OF 50 CAMELS EACH

IT IS NOT the cost of the gift, but the thought that lies behind the giving that warms the cockles of the heart on Christmas morning.

Then, instead of some short-lived trinket, how much nicer to give something that will bring solace and delight for many days after the Christmas tree is gone; until the New Year is on its way.

For the cigarette smoker, man or woman, *of course* give Camels. A blend of choice Turkish and mild, sun-ripened Domestic tobaccos, they are kept fresh and prime by the Camel Humidor Pack, with their natural moisture unimpaired by parching or toasting.

In appropriate holiday wrapping, Camels come both in attractive Christmas cartons containing ten packages of twenty and in cartons containing four boxes of fifty each.

For the man who smokes a pipe, we suggest either a pound tin or one of those crystal glass humidors of good old PRINCE ALBERT. Here is a present that goes straight as a Christmas carol to a man's heart; P. A., the best loved pipe tobacco in the world, all dressed for the occasion in bright Christmas costume.

What gift can you think of that will be more welcome or give more genuine pleasure and satisfaction?

Don't you hope someone will think of such a friendly gift for you?

We wish you *Merry Christmas!*

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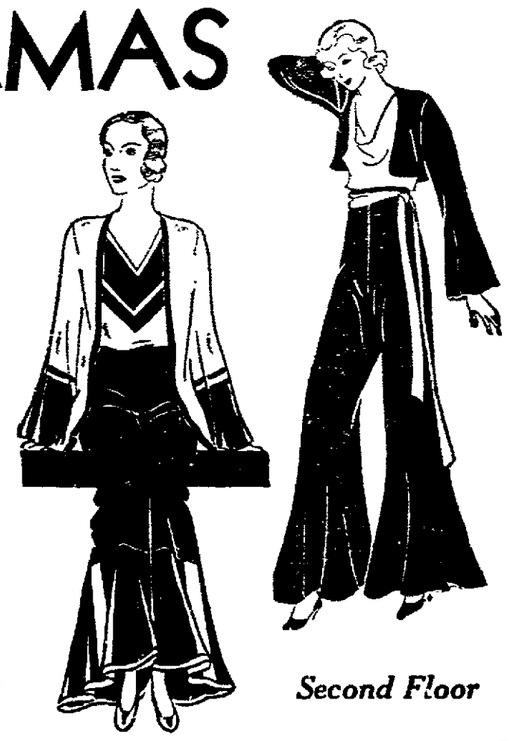

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